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I.

CROWN THE KING!

Introduction, Soli and Chorus.

Crown the King with Life!
Through our thankful state
Let the cries of hate
Die in joy away;
Cease ye, sounds of strife!
Lord of Life, we pray,
Crown the King with Life!

Crown the King with Might!
Let the King be strong
Hating guile and wrong;
He that scorneth pride,
Fearing truth and right,
Feareth nought beside;—
Crown the King with Might!

Crown the King with Peace;
Peace that suffers long,
Peace that maketh strong,
Peace with kindly wealth,
As the years increase,
Nurse of joy and health;—
Crown the King with Peace!

Crown the King with Love!
To his land most dear
He shall bend to hear
Every pleading call;
Loving God above,
With a heart for all;—
Crown the King with Love!

Crown the King with Faith!
God, the King of Kings,
Ruleth earthly things;
God of great and small,
Lord of Life and Death,
God, above us all!
Crown the King with Faith!

God shall save the King,
God shall make him great,
God shall guard the state;
All that hearts can pray,
All that lips can sing,
God shall hear to-day;—
God shall save the King!

II.

DAUGHTER OF ANCIENT KINGS.

Chorus

Daughter of ancient Kings,
Mother of Kings to be,
Gift that the bright wind bore on his sparkling wings,
Over the Northern Sea!

Nothing so sweet he brings,
Nothing so fair to see,
Purest, stateliest, Daughter of ancient Kings,
Mother of Kings to be!

III.

BRITAIN, ASK OF THYSELF.

SOLO (BASS) AND CHORUS (TENOR AND BASS.)

BRITAIN, ask of thyself, and see that thy sons be strong,
Strong to arise and go, if ever the war-trump peal;
See that thy navies speed, to the sound of the battle-song,
Then, when the winds are up, and the shuddering bulwarks reel,
Smite the mountainous wave, and scatter the flying foam,
Big with the battle-thunder that echoeth loud and long;—
See that thy squadrons haste, when loosed are the hounds of hell:—
Then shall the eye flash fire, and the valorous heart grow light,
Under the drifting smoke, and the scream of the flying shell,
When the hillside hisses with death,—and never a foe in sight.
So shalt thou rest in peace, enthroned in thine island home;—
Britain, ask of thyself, and see that thy sons be strong!

IV.

(1.) HARK, UPON THE HALLOWED AIR.

SOLI (SOPRANO AND TENOR.)

(2.) ONLY LET THE HEART BE PURE.

QUARTET.

HARK, upon the hallowed air,
Spirits pure of sight and sense,
Hovering visions, rich and fair,
Lend their radiant influence!
Airy powers of Earth and Sky
Bless our meet solemnity!

Music, sweetest child of heaven,
  At thy touch the heart is free,—
Ancient wrongs by thee forgiven,
  Cares uplifted, healed by thee,
Listen smiling, borne along
In the sacred tide of song.

Music of the poet's heart!
  Widening yet the echoes roll;
Fiery secrets, winged by art,
  Light the lonely listening soul,
Till the aching silence rings
With the beat of heavenly wings.

Magic web of woven hues,
  Tender shadow, linkèd line,
Sweet mysterious avenues
  Opening out to Light Divine!
Painter-poet, thou canst teach
More than frail and faltering speech.

Quartet.

Only let the heart be pure,
  Pure in steadfast innocence;
Stainless honour, strong and sure,
  Stem the ardent tide of sense!
So shall Wisdom, one with Truth,
Keep undimmed the fires of youth.

Strong to conquer, strong to bless,
  Britain, Heav'n hath made thee great!
Courage knit with gentleness
  Best befits thy sober state.
As the golden days increase,
Crown your victories with peace!

V.

PEACE, GENTLE PEACE.

QUARTET AND CHORUS (UNACCOMPANIED).

PEACE, gentle Peace, who, smiling through thy tears,
Returnest, when the sounds of war are dumb,
Replenishing the bruised and broken earth,
And lifting motherly her shattered form;
When comest thou? Our brethren long for thee.

Thou dost restore the darkened light of home,
Give back the father to his children's arms;
Thou driest tenderly the mourner's tears,
And all thy face is lit with holy light;—
Our earth is fain for thee! Return and come!

VI.

LAND OF HOPE AND GLORY.

FINALE (CONTRALTO SOLO AND TUTTI).

LAND of hope and glory, Mother of the free,
How may we extol thee, who are born of thee?

Truth and Right and Freedom, each a holy gem,
Stars of solemn brightness, weave thy diadem.

Tho' thy way be darkened, still in splendour drest,
As the star that trembles o'er the liquid West.

Throned amid the billows, throned inviolate,
Thou hast reigned victorious, thou hast smiled at fate.

Land of hope and glory, Fortress of the free,
How may we extol thee, praise thee, honour thee?

Hark, a mighty nation maketh glad reply;
Lo, our lips are thankful, lo, our hearts are high!

Hearts in hope uplifted, loyal lips that sing;
Strong in faith and freedom, we have crowned our King!

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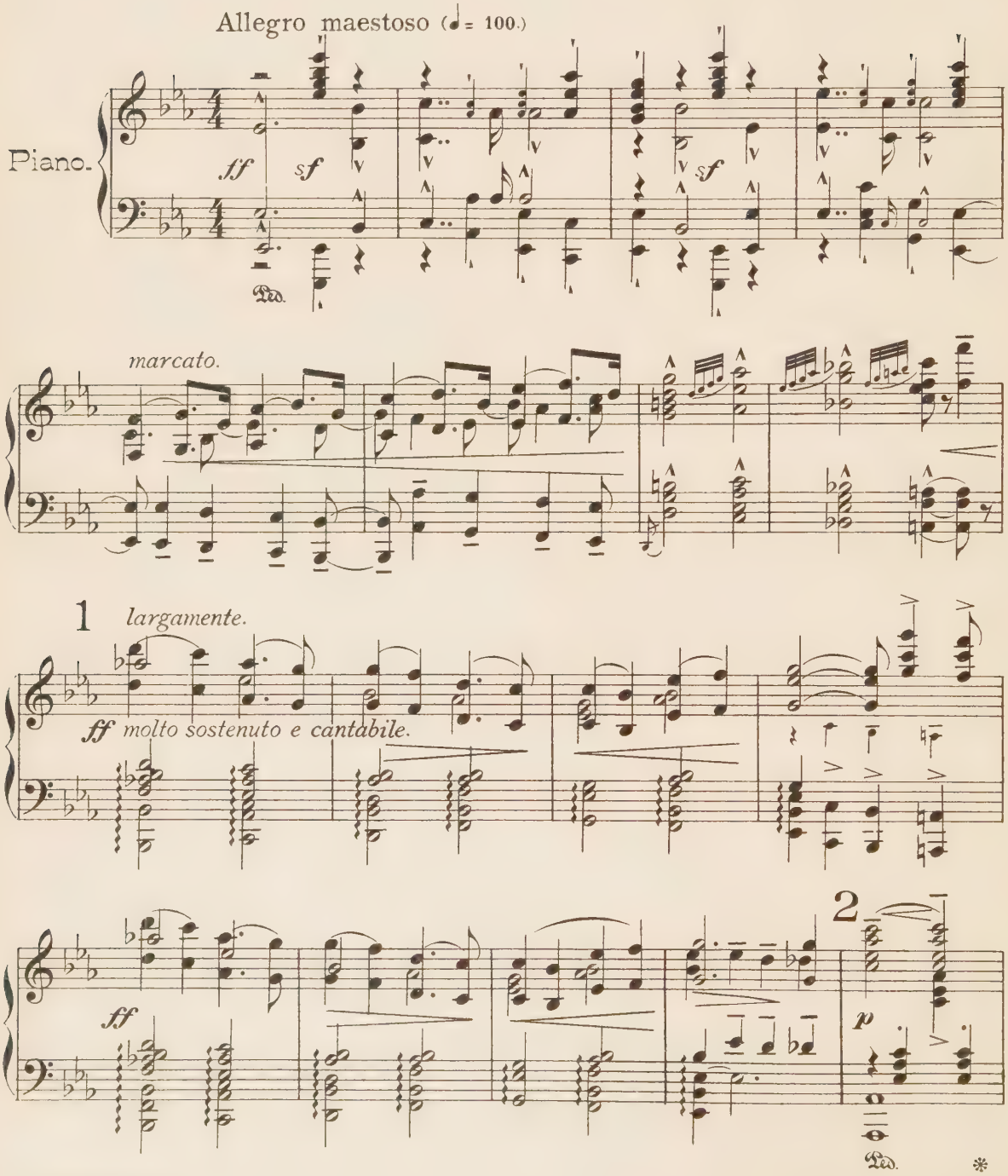

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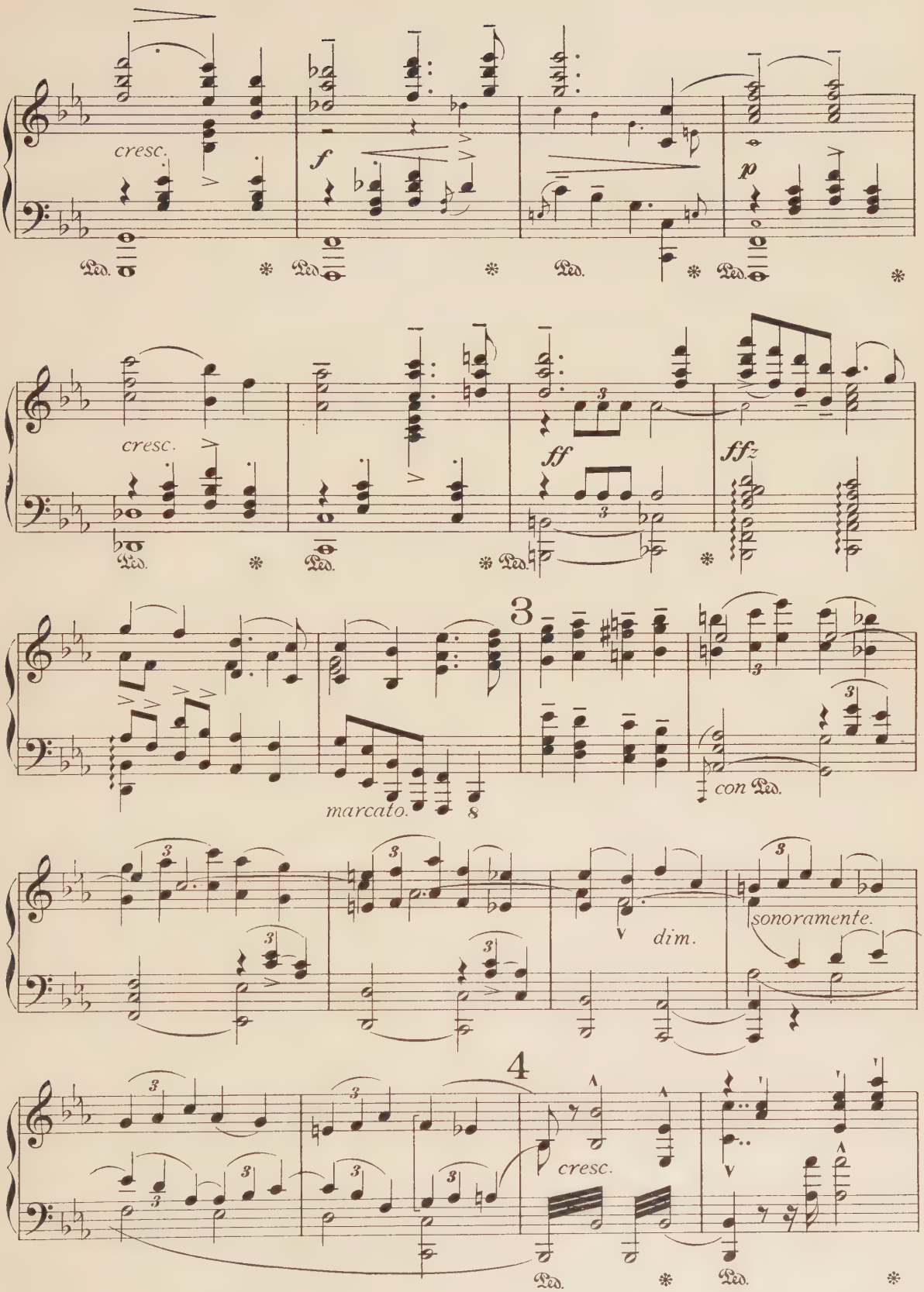
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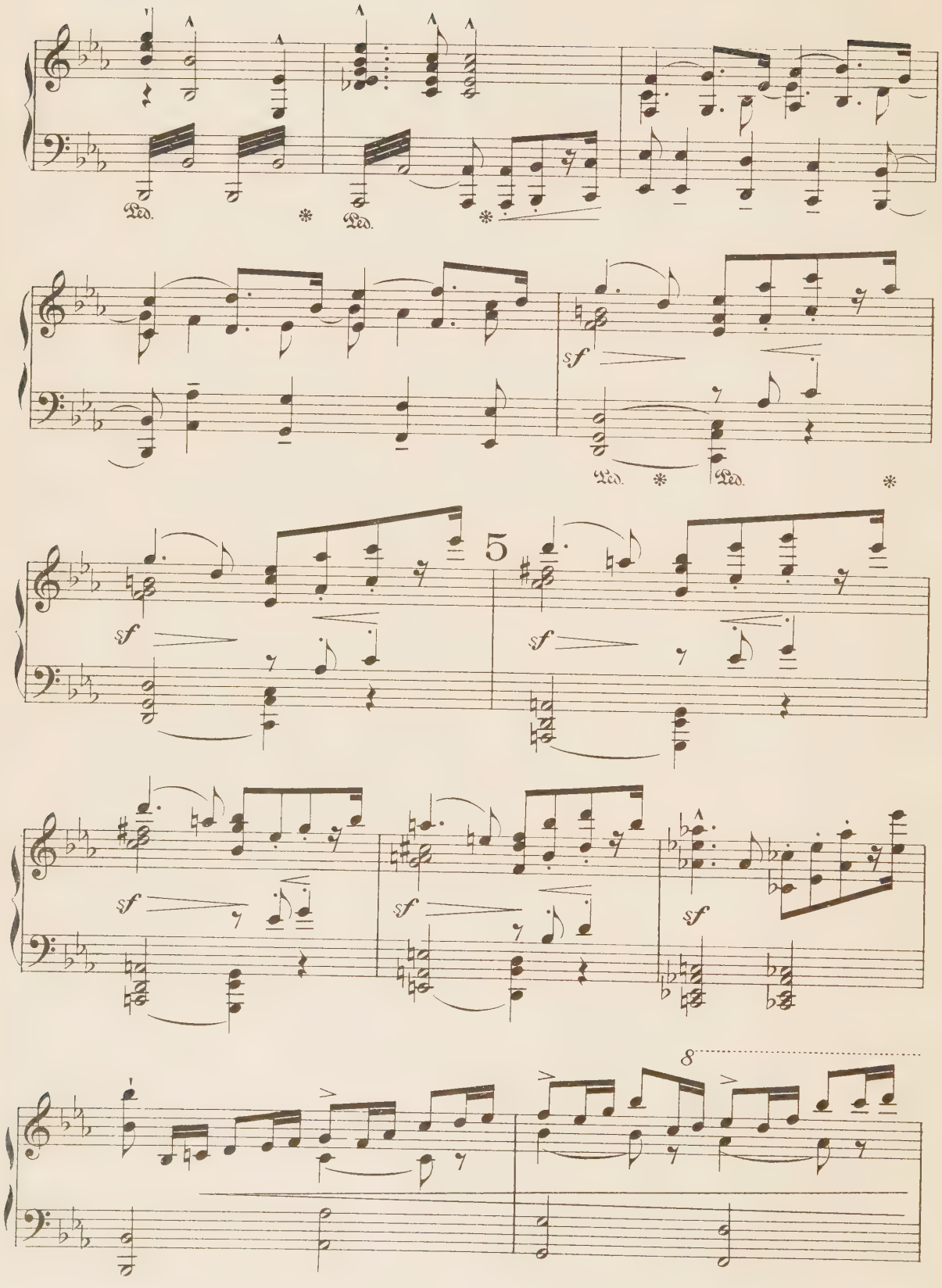
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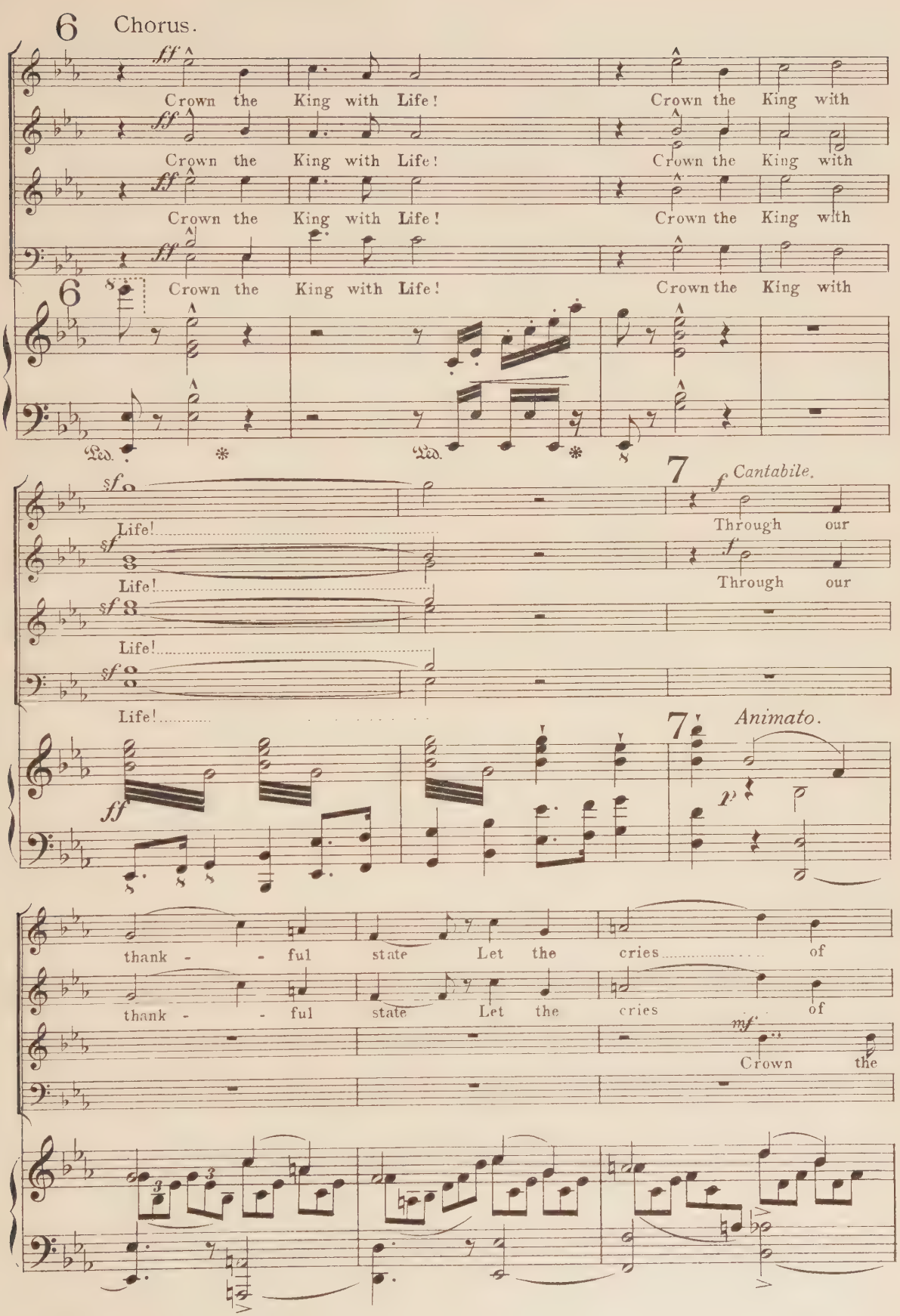
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Crown the King with Life!
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Crown the King with Life!
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Crown the King with Life!
Crown the King with
Ped. * Ped. * Ped. *
7
sf
Life!
Life!
Life!
Life!
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Through our
Through our
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Animato.
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thank - - ful state Let the cries of
mf
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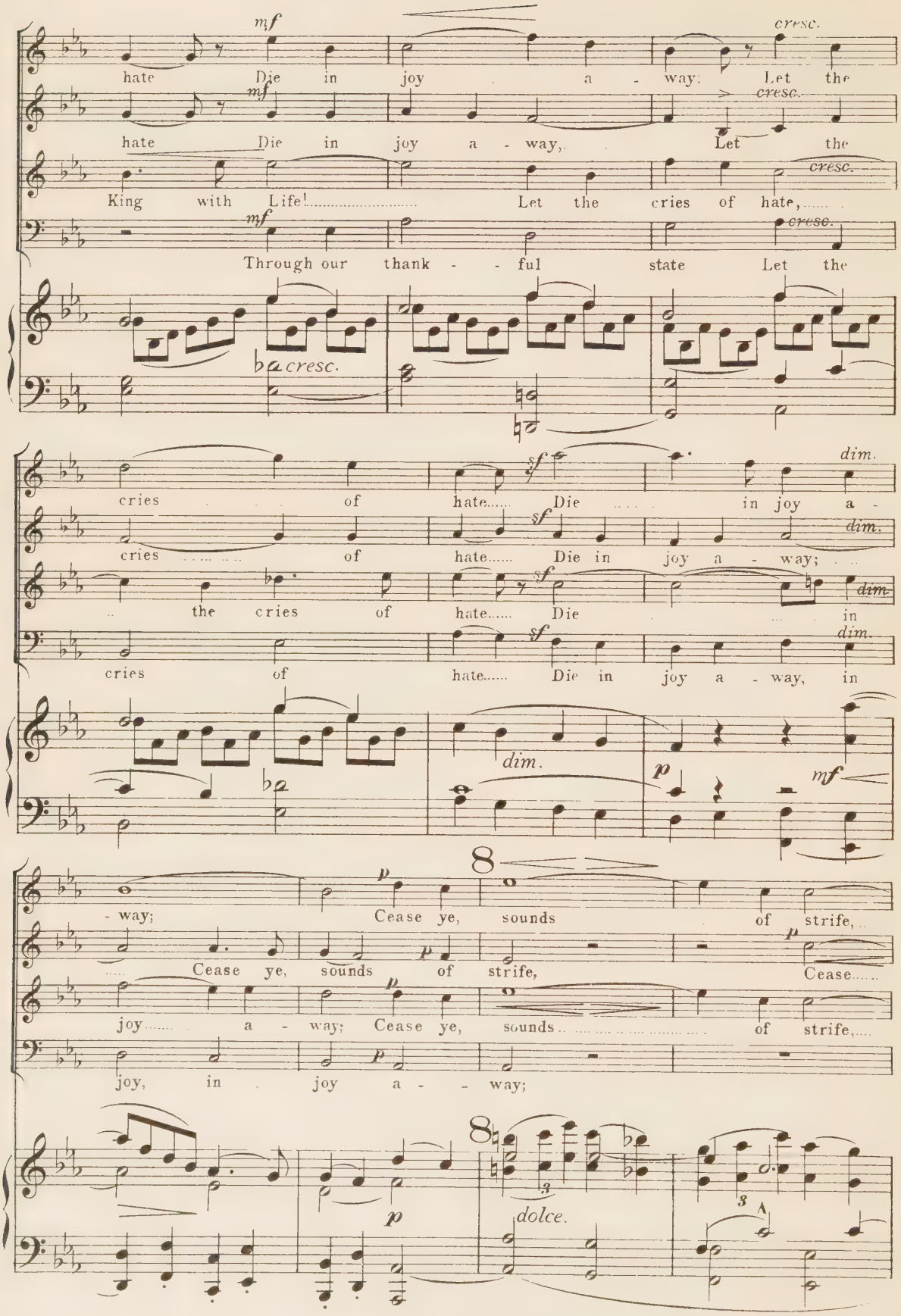
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hate Die in joy a - way; Let the
mf
cresc.
hate Die in joy a - way, Let the
cresc.
King with Life! Let the cries of hate,
mf
cresc.
Through our thank - - ful state Let the
cresc.
sf
dim.
cries of hate..... Die in joy a -
sf
dim.
cries of hate..... Die in joy a - way;
sf
dim.
the cries of hate..... Die in
sf
dim.
cries of hate..... Die in joy a - way, in
dim.
p
mf
8
- way; Cease ye, sounds of strife,
p
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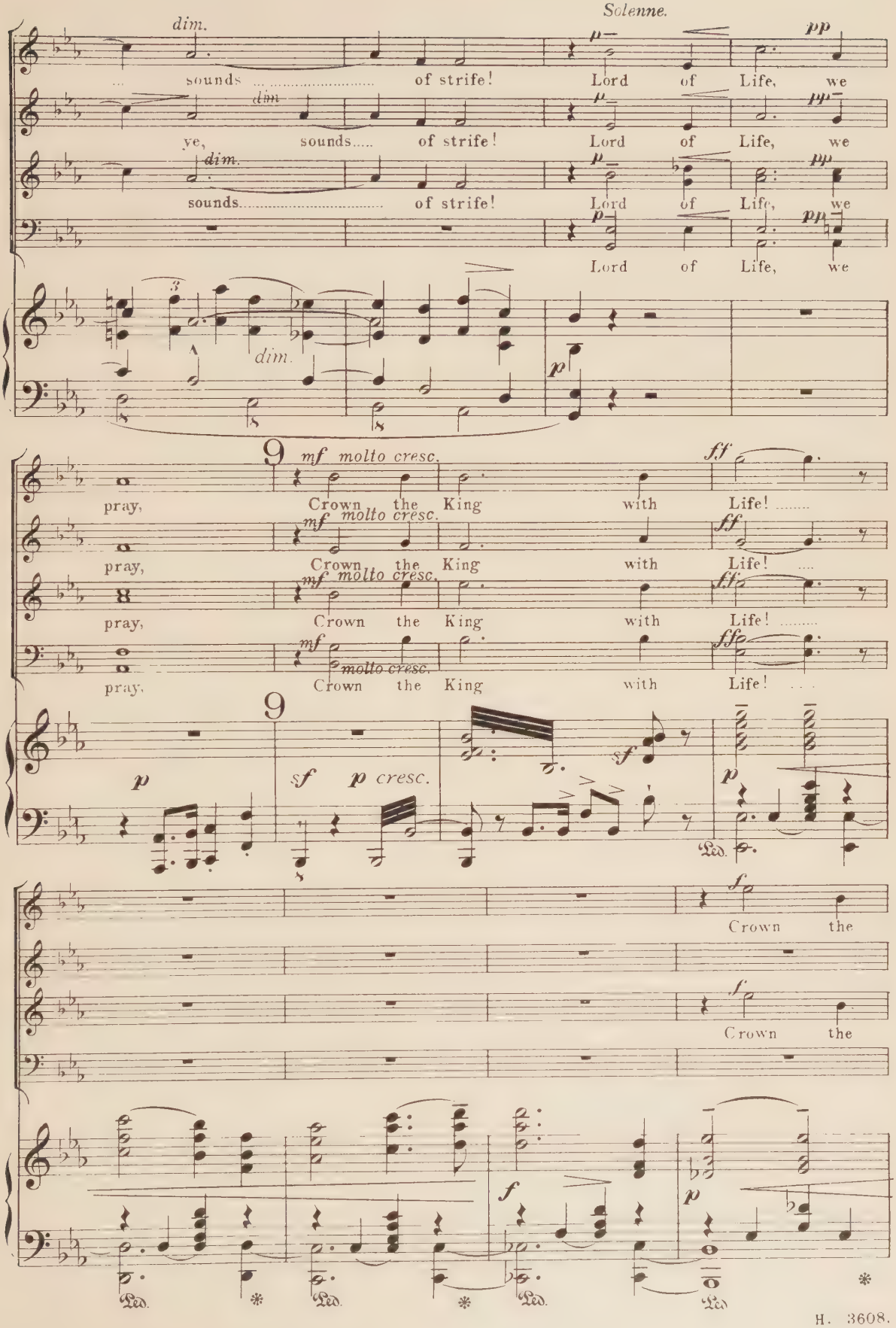
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dim.
sounds of strife! Lord of Life, we
dim.
ye, sounds of strife! Lord of Life, we
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sounds of strife! Lord of Life, we
Lord of Life, we
dim.
pray, Crown the King with Life!
mf molto cresc.
ff
pray, Crown the King with Life!
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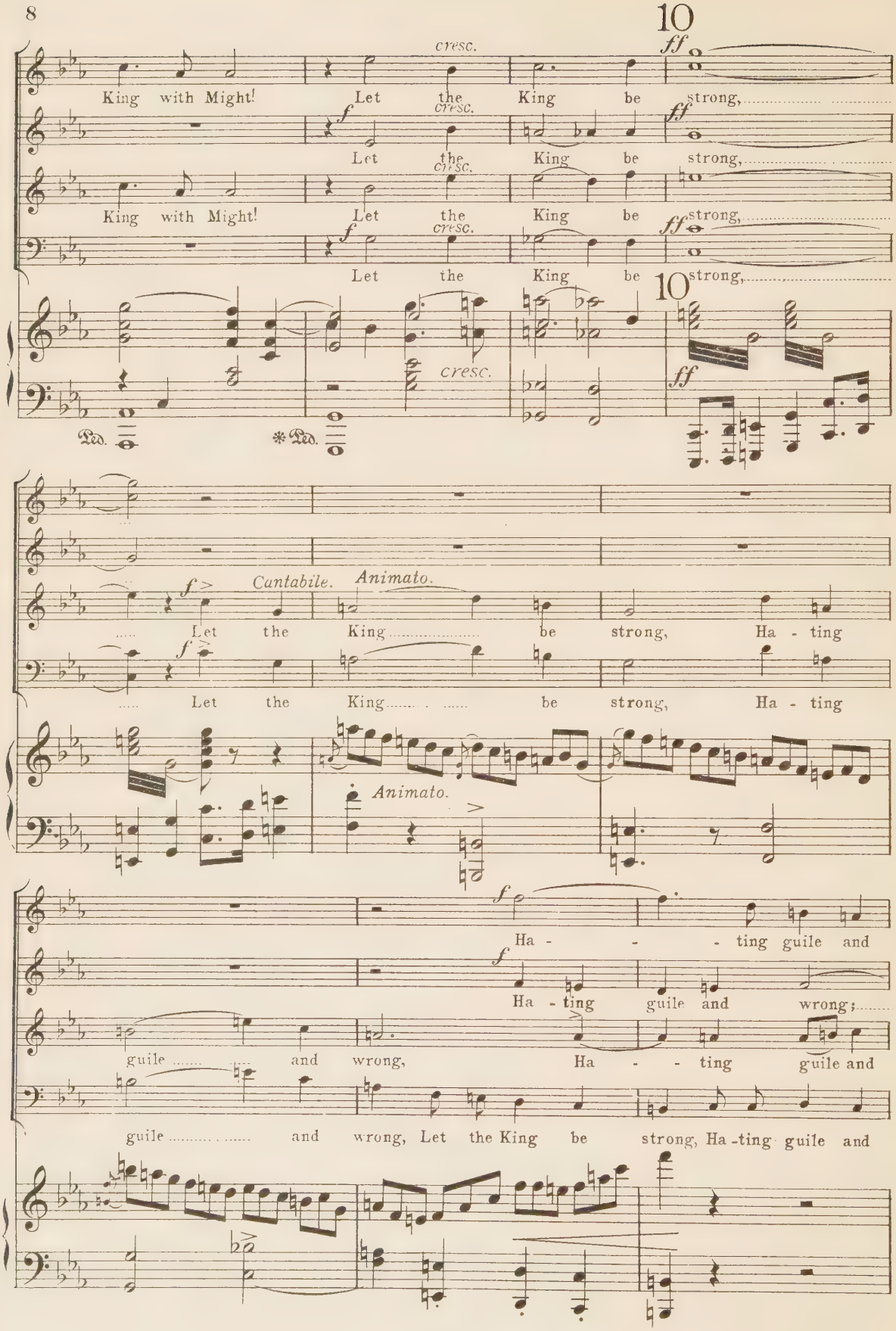
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King with Might! Let the King be strong,
f
cresc.
Let the King be strong,
King with Might! Let the King be strong,
Let the King be strong,
Ped. * Ped.
Cantabile.
Animato.
Let the King be strong, Ha - ting
Let the King be strong, Ha - ting
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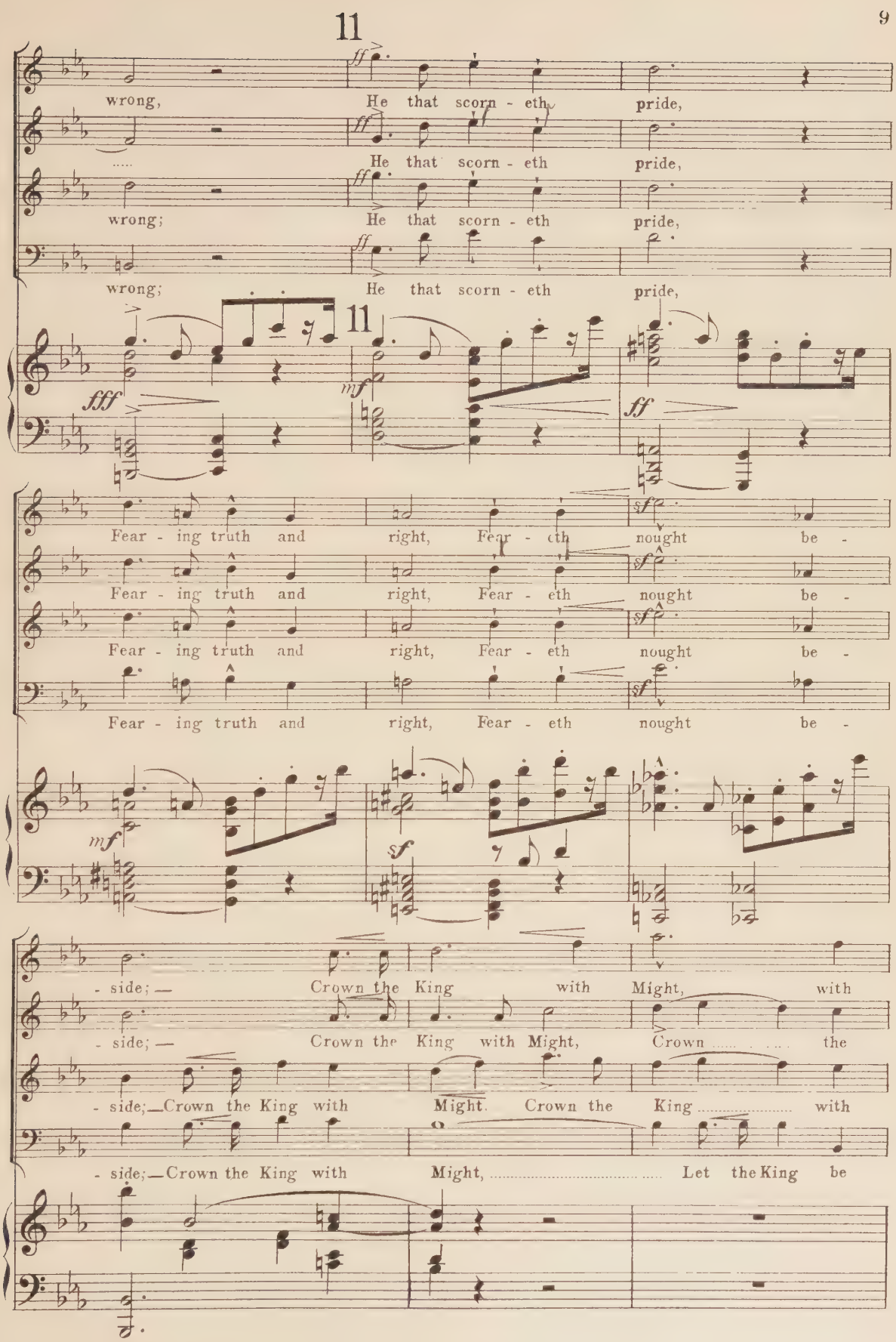
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He that scorn - eth pride,
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wrong; He that scorn - eth pride,
11
Fear - ing truth and right, Fear - eth nought be -
Fear - ing truth and right, Fear - eth nought be -
Fear - ing truth and right, Fear - eth nought be -
Fear - eth nought be -
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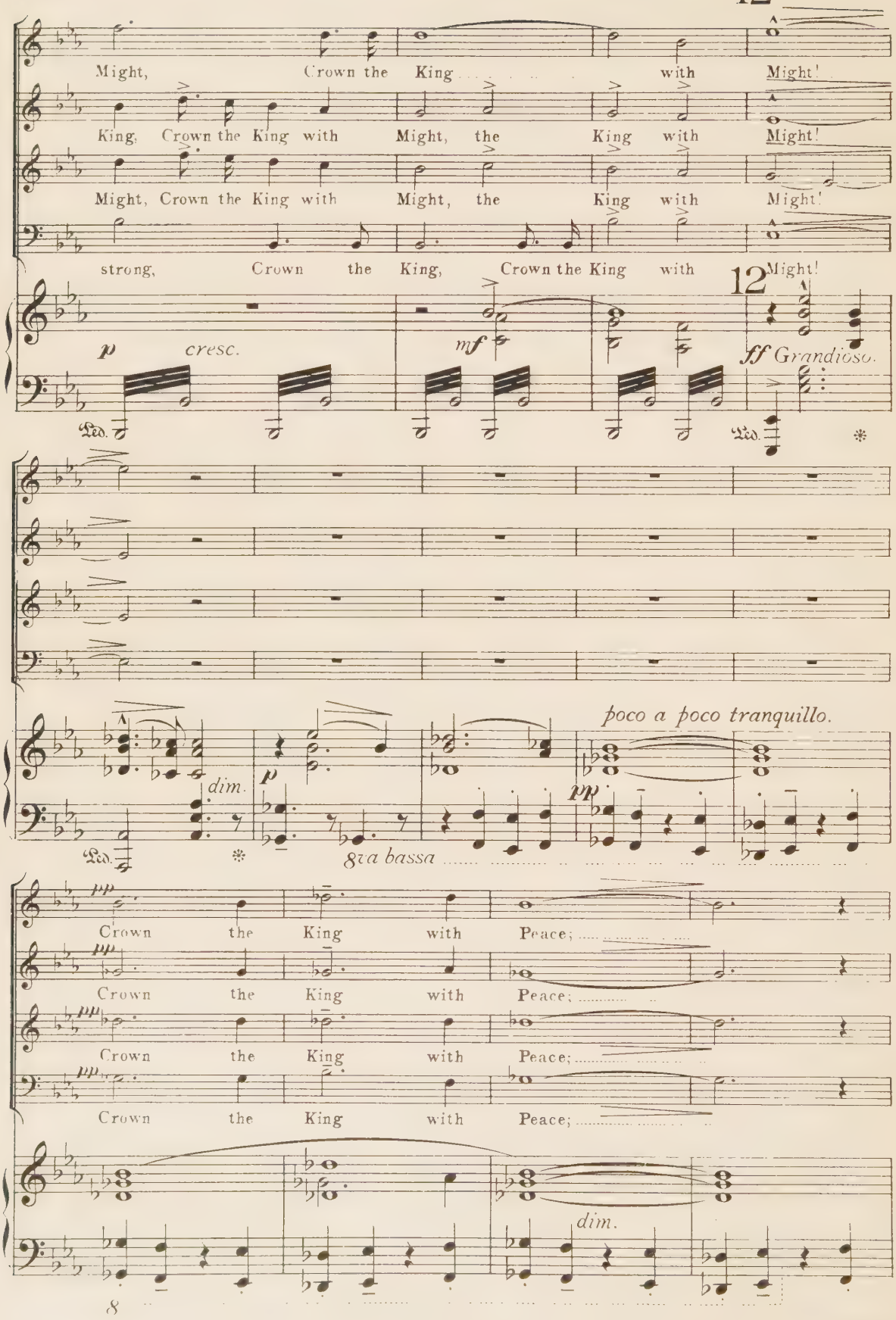
- side; Crown the King with Might, Let the King be

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Might, Crown the King with Might!
King, Crown the King with Might, the King with Might!
Might, Crown the King with Might, the King with Might!
strong, Crown the King, Crown the King with Might!
12
p cresc.
mf
ff Grandioso.
Ped.
dim.
p
poco a poco tranquillo.
pp
8va bassa
Crown the King with Peace;
Crown the King with Peace;
Crown the King with Peace;
Crown the King with Peace;
dim.
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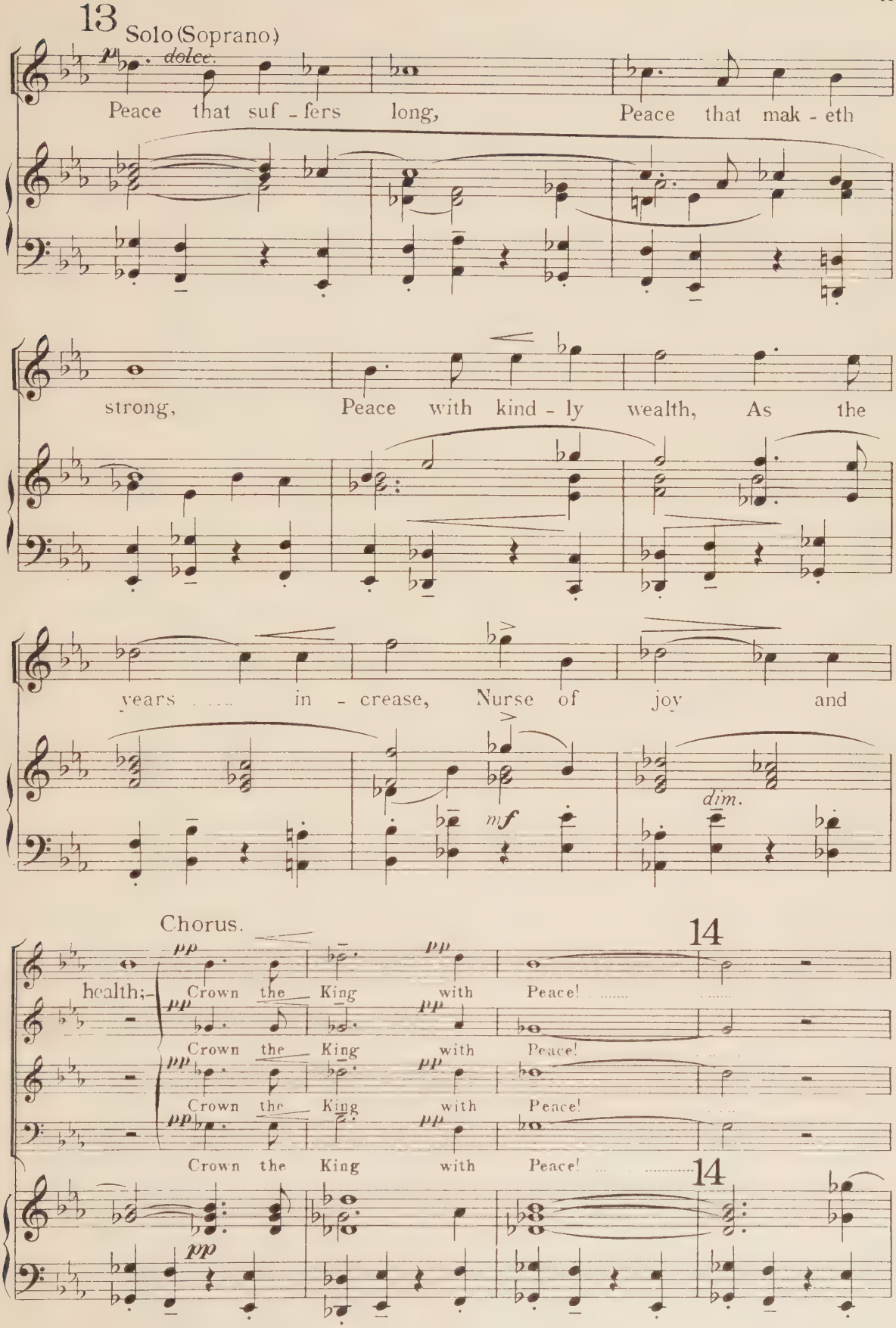
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Solo (Soprano)
p dolce.
Peace that suf - fers long, Peace that mak - eth
strong, Peace with kind - ly wealth, As the
years in - crease, Nurse of joy and
mf
dim.
Chorus.
14
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Crown the King with Peace!
Crown the King with Peace!
Crown the King with Peace!
14
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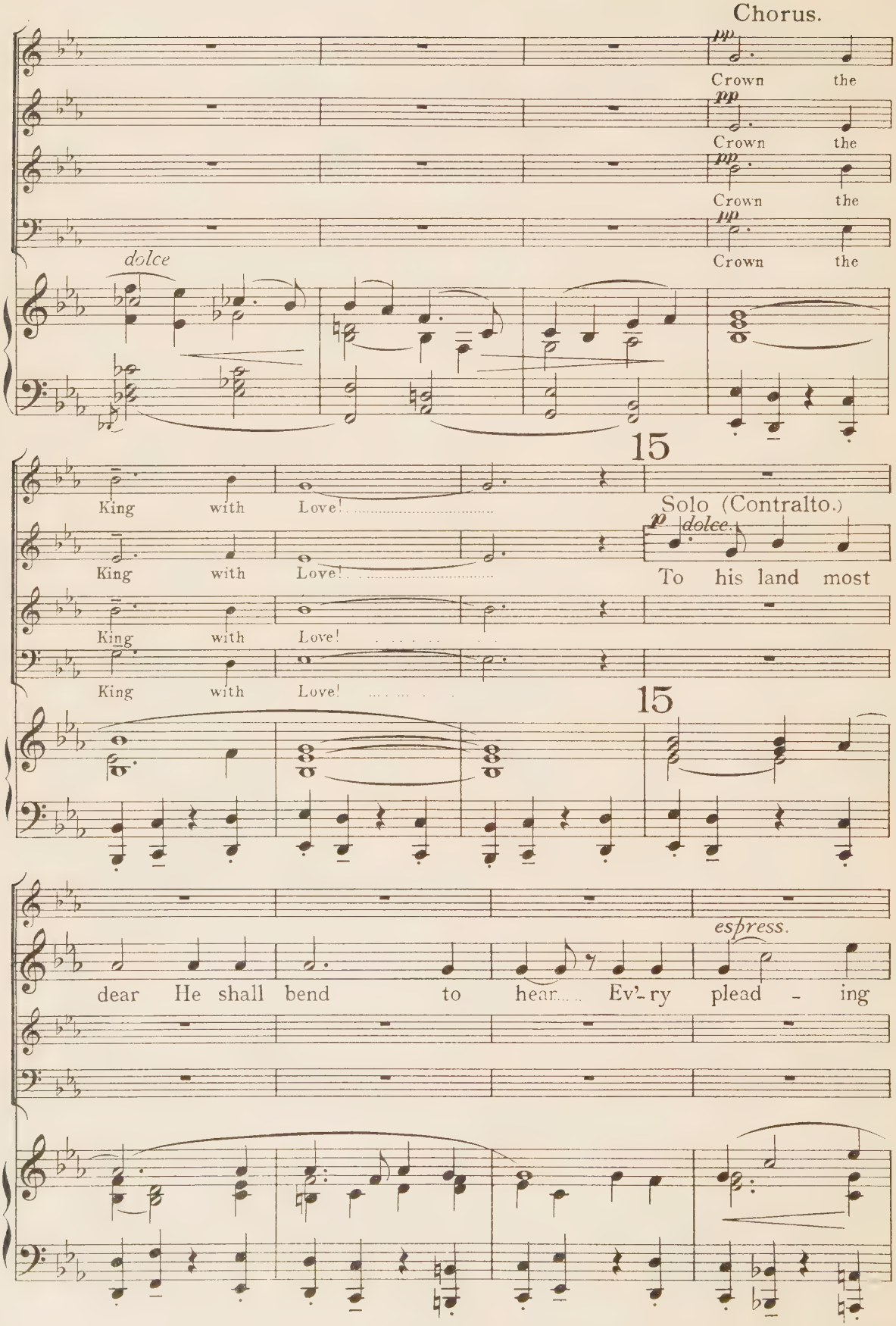
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15
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King with Love!
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King with Love!
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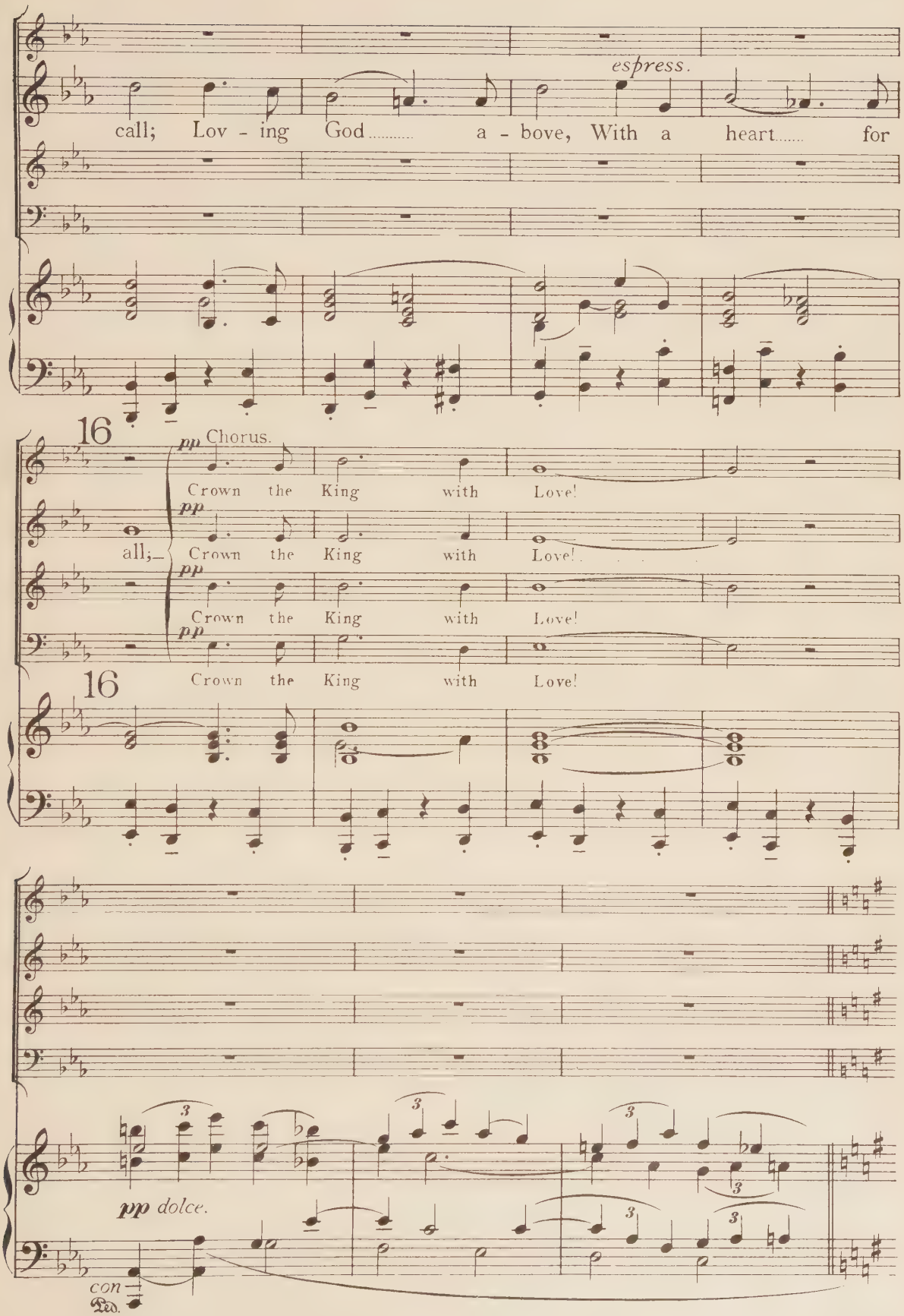
espress.
call; Lov - ing God..... a - bove, With a heart..... for
16
pp Chorus.
Crown the King with Love!
all;
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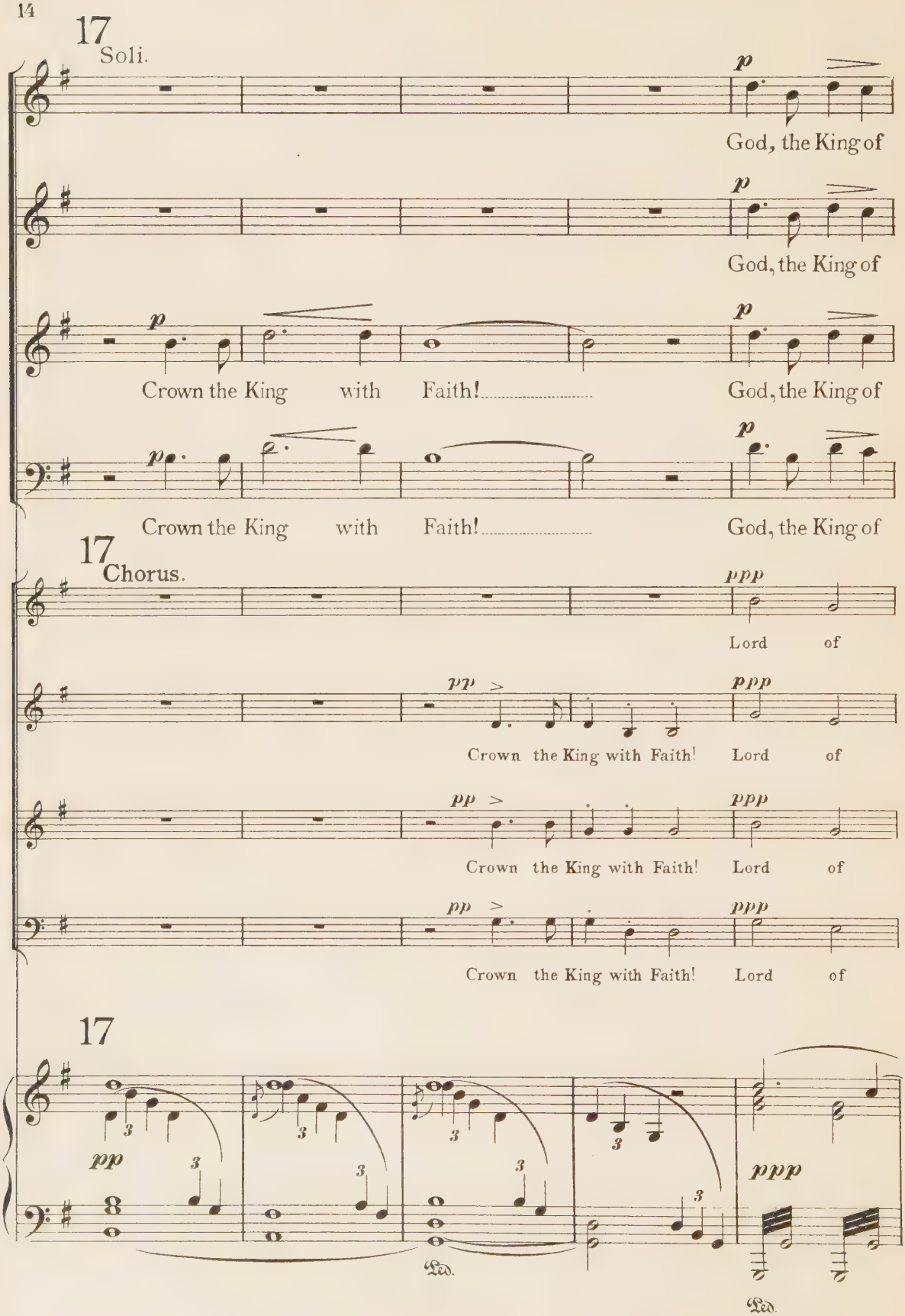
17
Soli.
p
God, the King of
p
God, the King of
p
Crown the King with Faith!
p
God, the King of
p
Crown the King with Faith!
p
God, the King of
17
Chorus.
ppp
Lord of
pp
ppp
Crown the King with Faith!
Lord of
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Lord of
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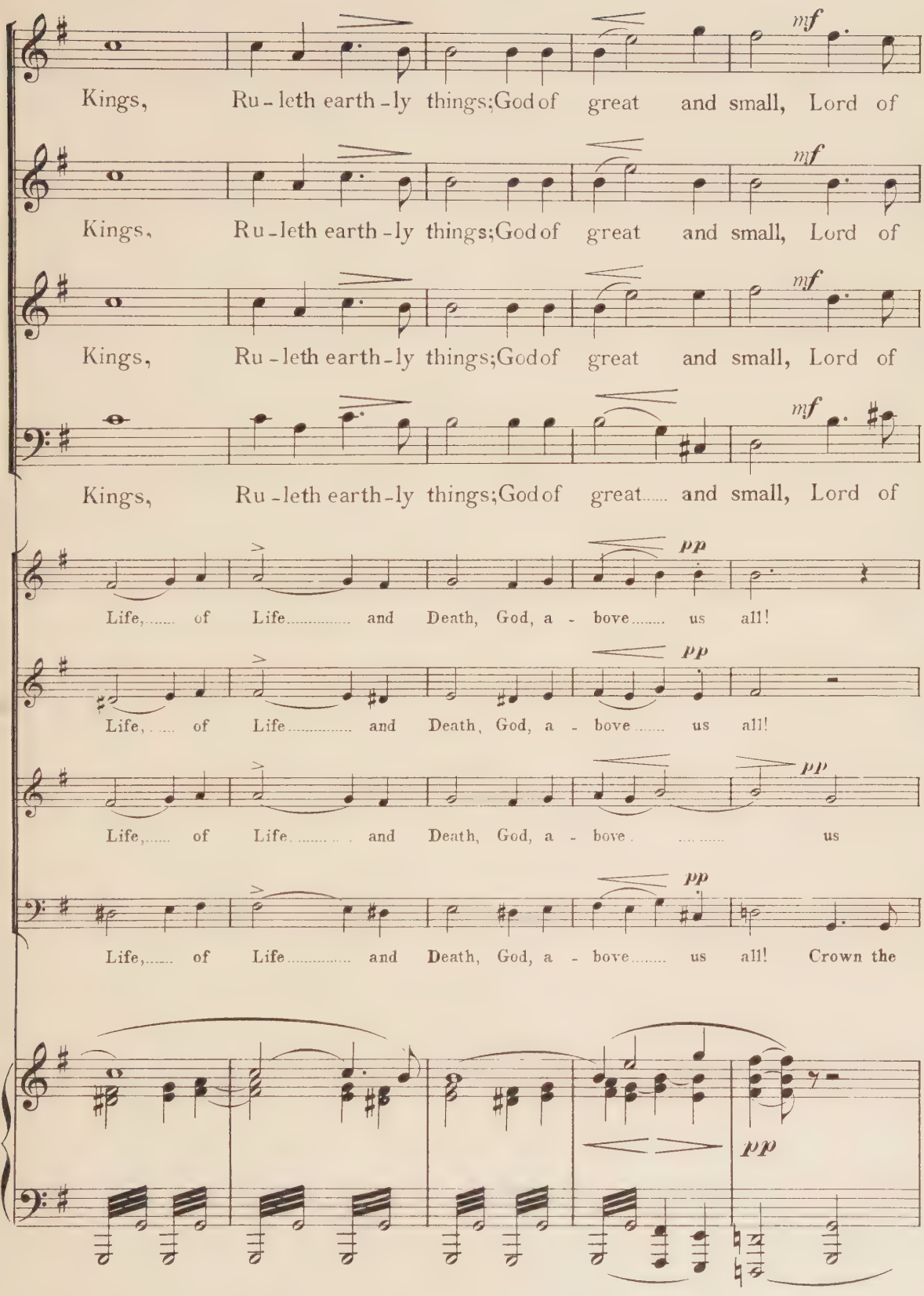
mf
Kings, Ru - leth earth - ly things; God of great and small, Lord of
mf
Kings, Ru - leth earth - ly things; God of great and small, Lord of
mf
Kings, Ru - leth earth - ly things; God of great and small, Lord of
mf
Kings, Ru - leth earth - ly things; God of great and small, Lord of
pp
Life, of Life and Death, God, a - bove us all!
pp
Life, of Life and Death, God, a - bove us all!
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Life, of Life and Death, God, a - bove us
pp
Life, of Life and Death, God, a - bove us all! Crown the
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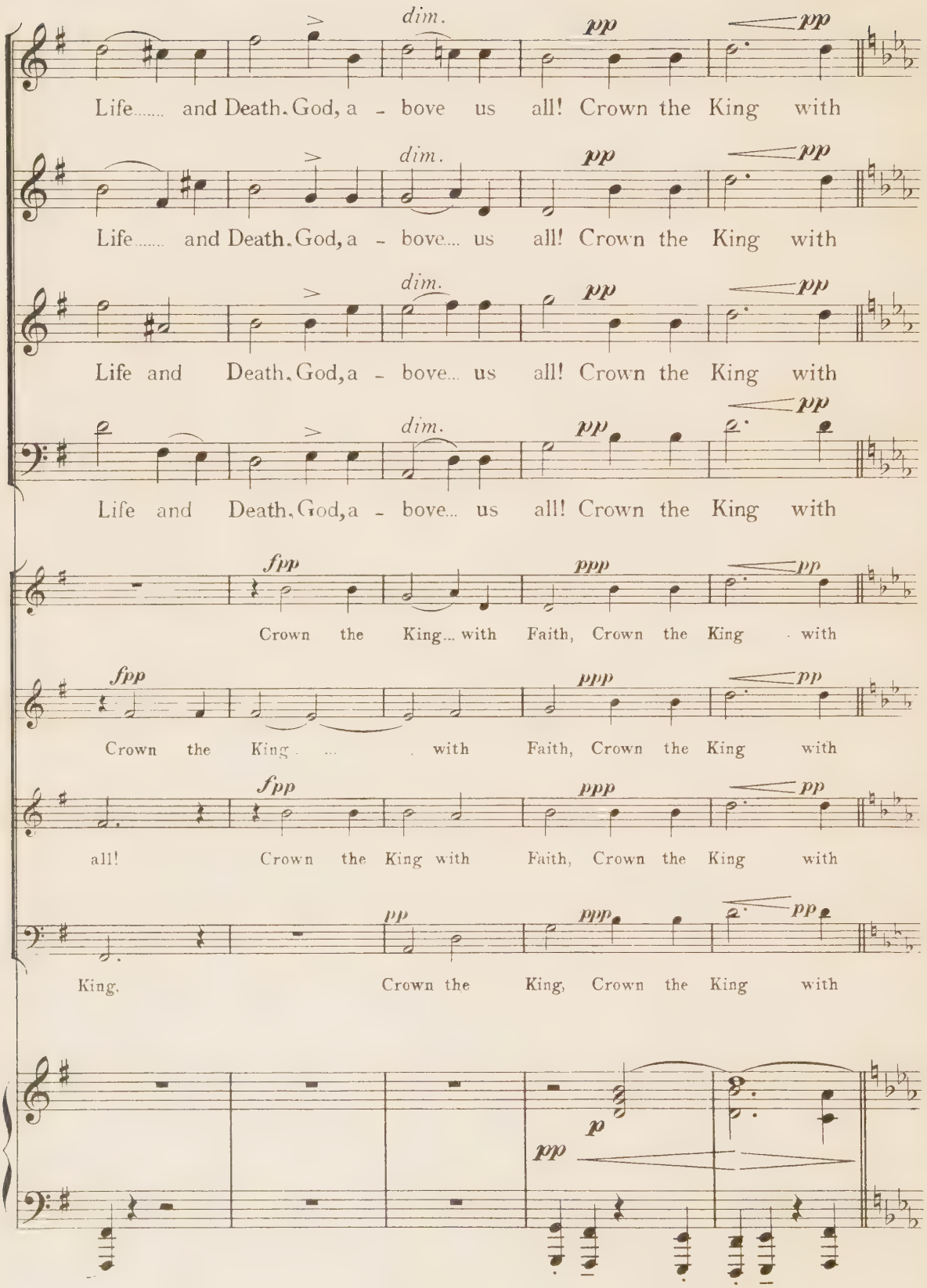
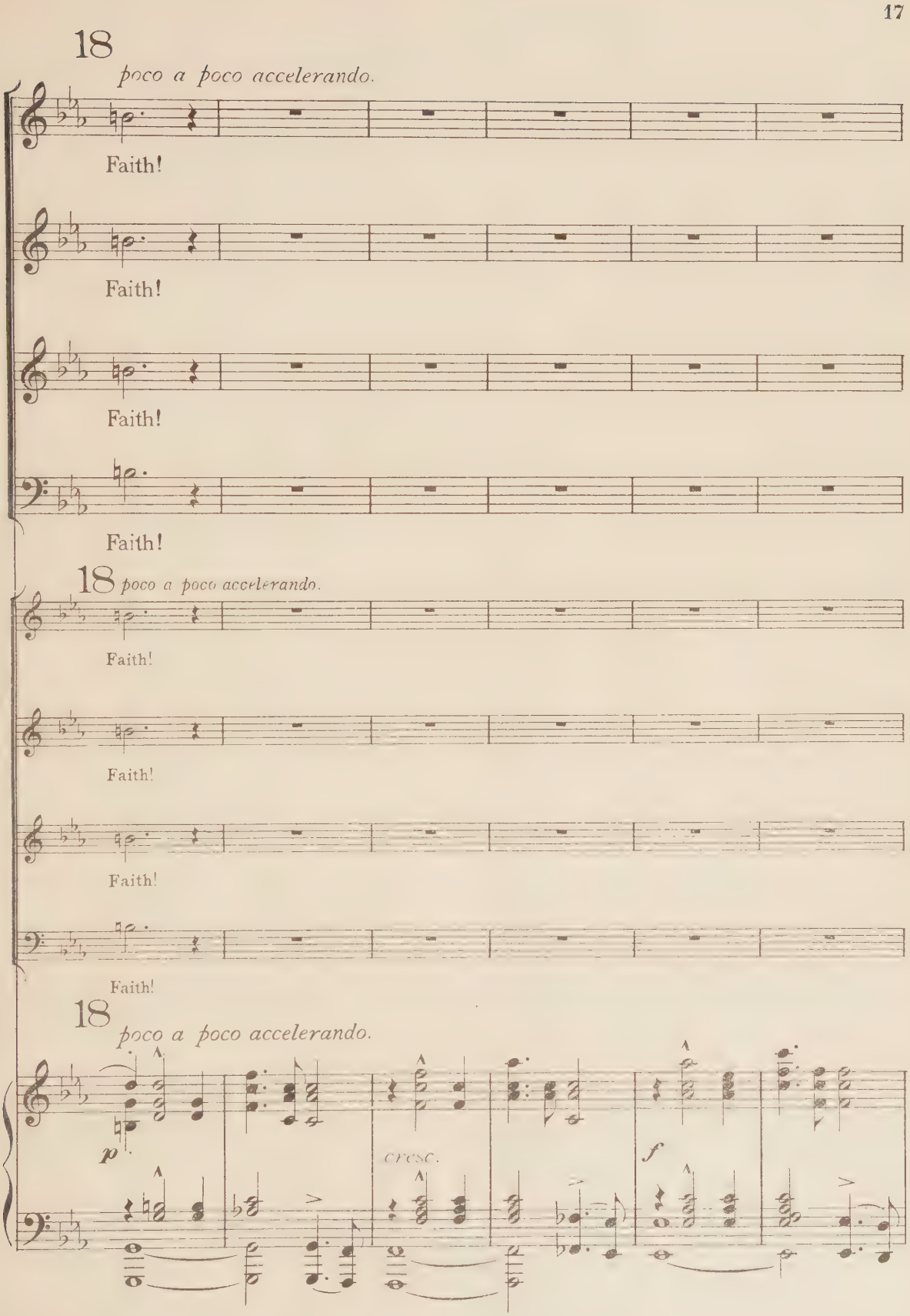

dim.
pp
pp
Life..... and Death. God, a - bove us all! Crown the King with
dim.
pp
pp
Life..... and Death. God, a - bove... us all! Crown the King with
dim.
pp
pp
Life and Death. God, a - bove... us all! Crown the King with
dim.
pp
pp
Life and Death. God, a - bove... us all! Crown the King with
fpp
ppp
pp
Crown the King... with Faith, Crown the King with
fpp
ppp
pp
Crown the King ... with Faith, Crown the King with
fpp
ppp
pp
all! Crown the King with Faith, Crown the King with
pp
ppp
pp
King, Crown the King, Crown the King with
p
pp


18
poco a poco accelerando.
Faith!
Faith!
Faith!
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Faith!
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Faith!
Faith!
18
poco a poco accelerando.
p
cresc.
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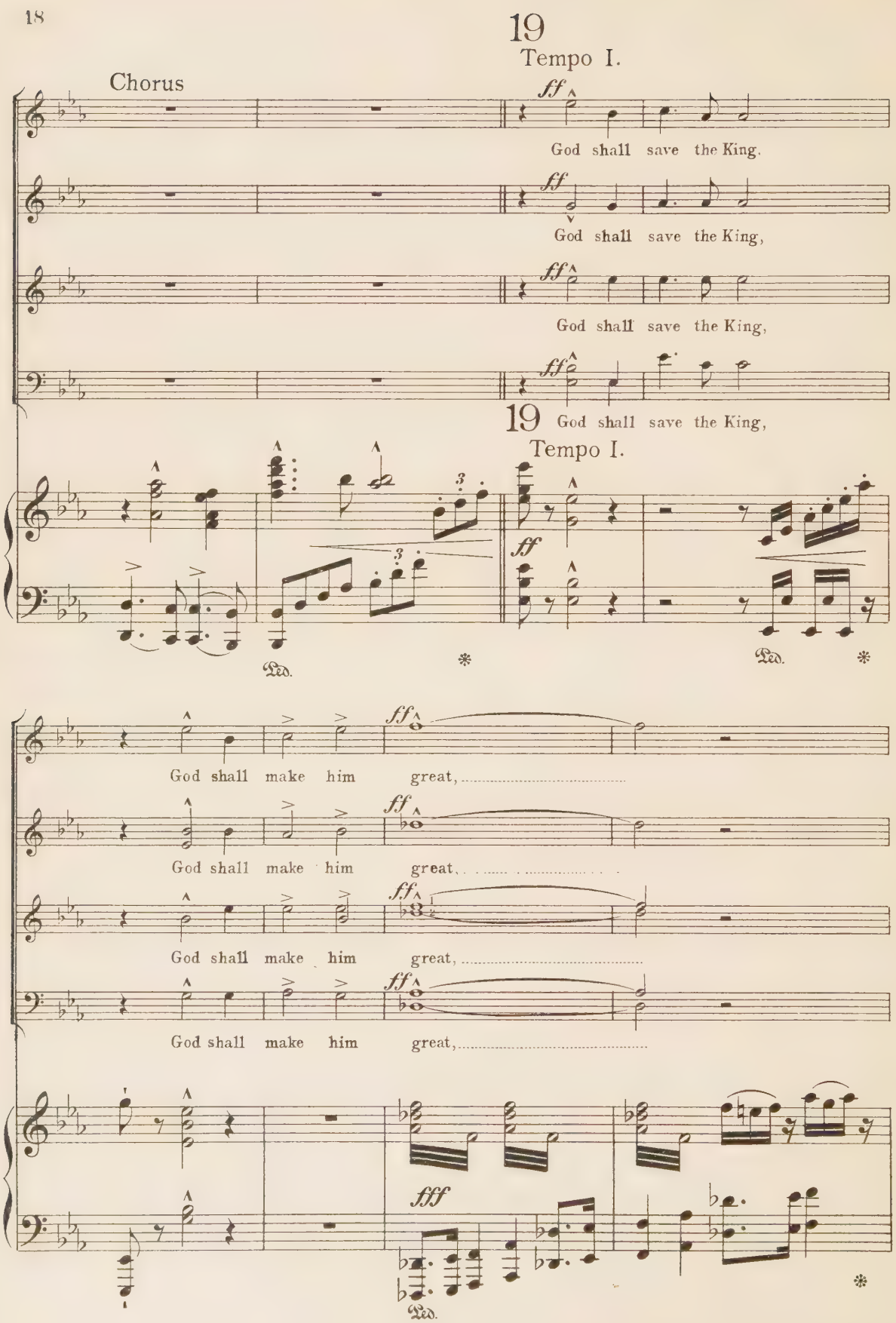
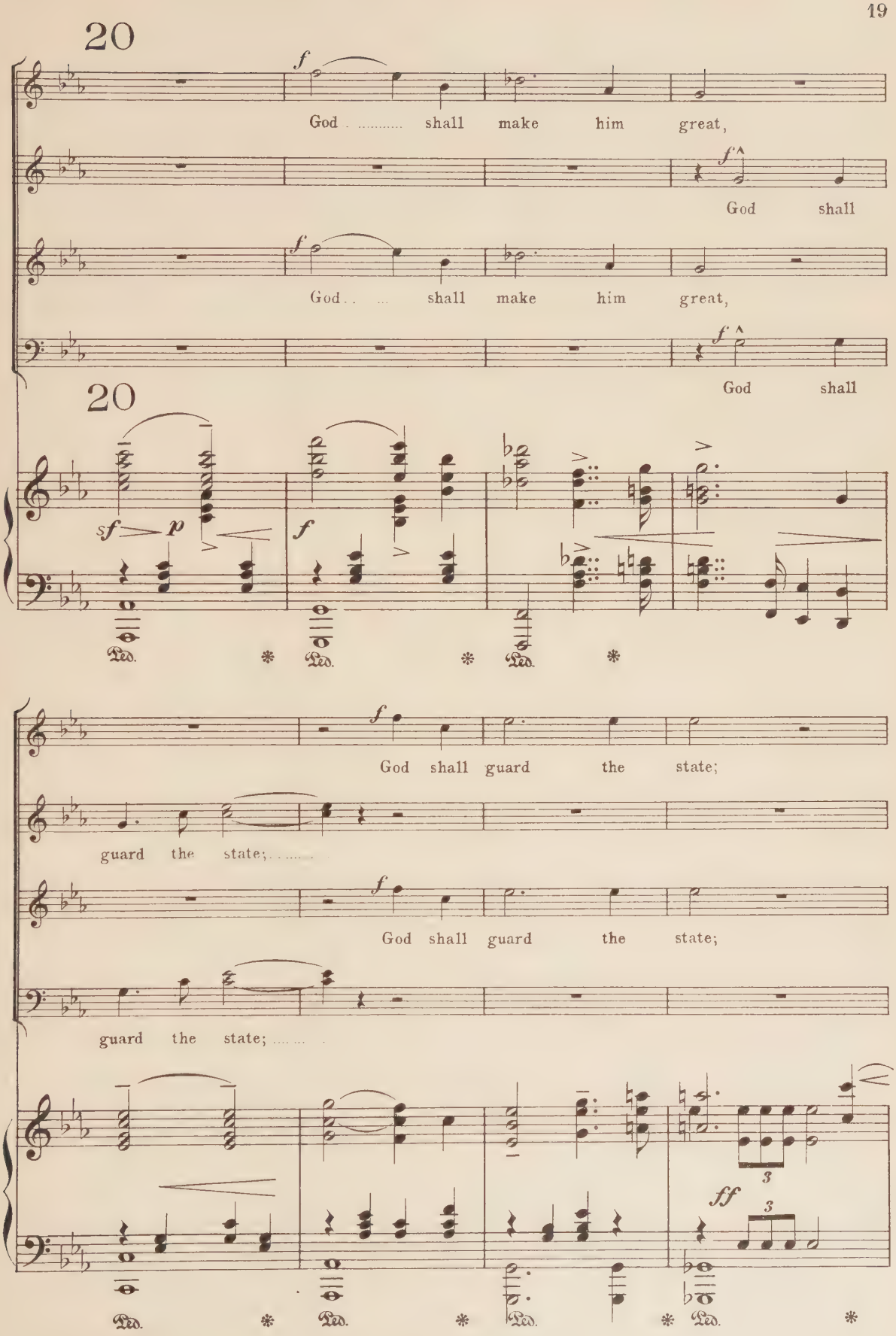

19
Tempo I.
Chorus
ff
God shall save the King.
God shall save the King,
God shall save the King,
19 God shall save the King,
Tempo I.
Ped.
God shall make him great,
fff


20
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God shall make him great,
f
God shall
f
God shall make him great,
f
God shall
20
sf p
f
Ped. * Ped. * Ped. *
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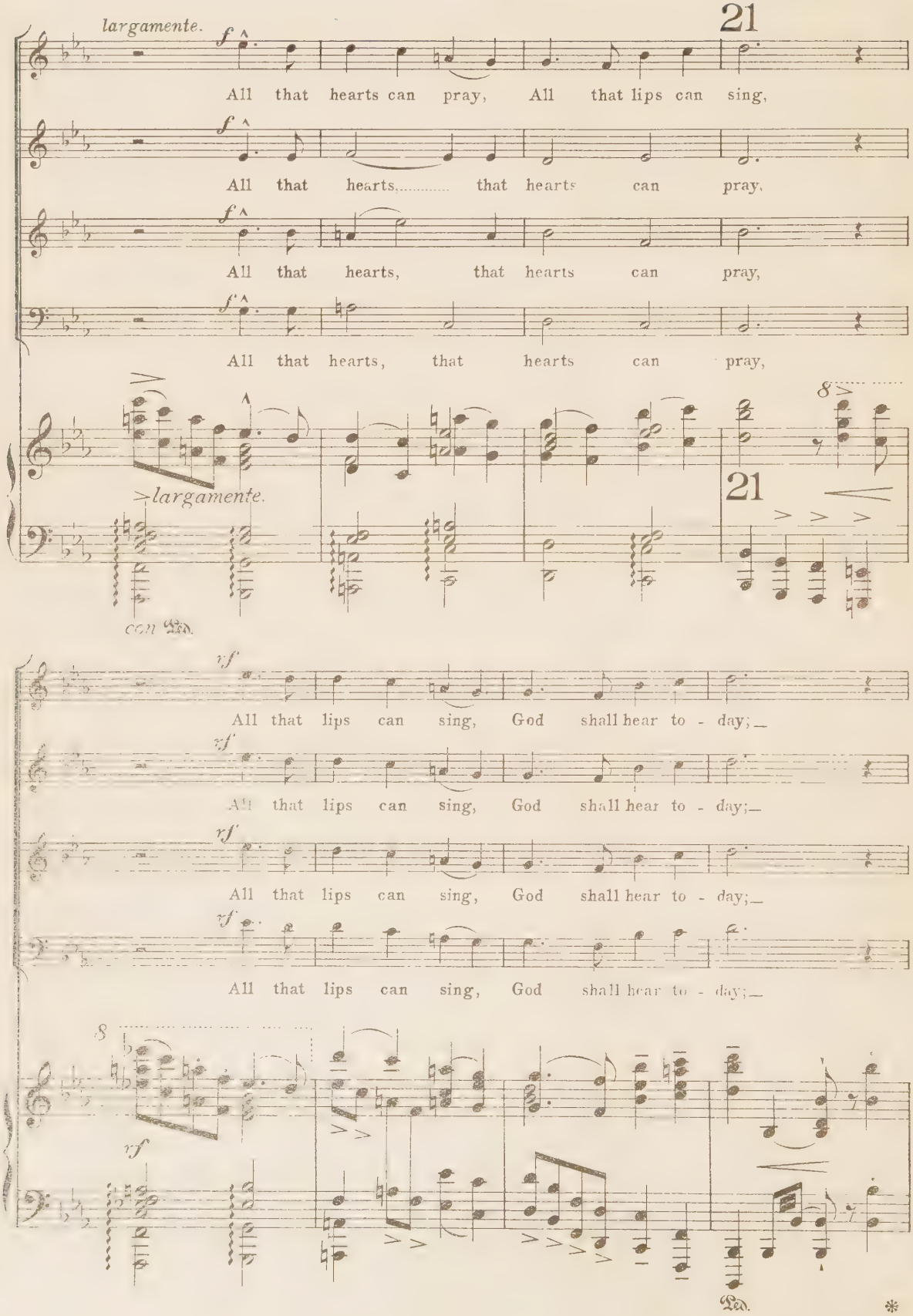
God shall guard the state;
guard the state;
f
God shall guard the state;
guard the state;
3
ff
3
Ped. * Ped. * Ped. * Ped. *


largamente.
21
All that hearts can pray, All that lips can sing,
All that hearts, that hearts can pray,
All that hearts, that hearts can pray,
All that hearts, that hearts can pray,
largamente.
con Ped.
All that lips can sing, God shall hear to - day;
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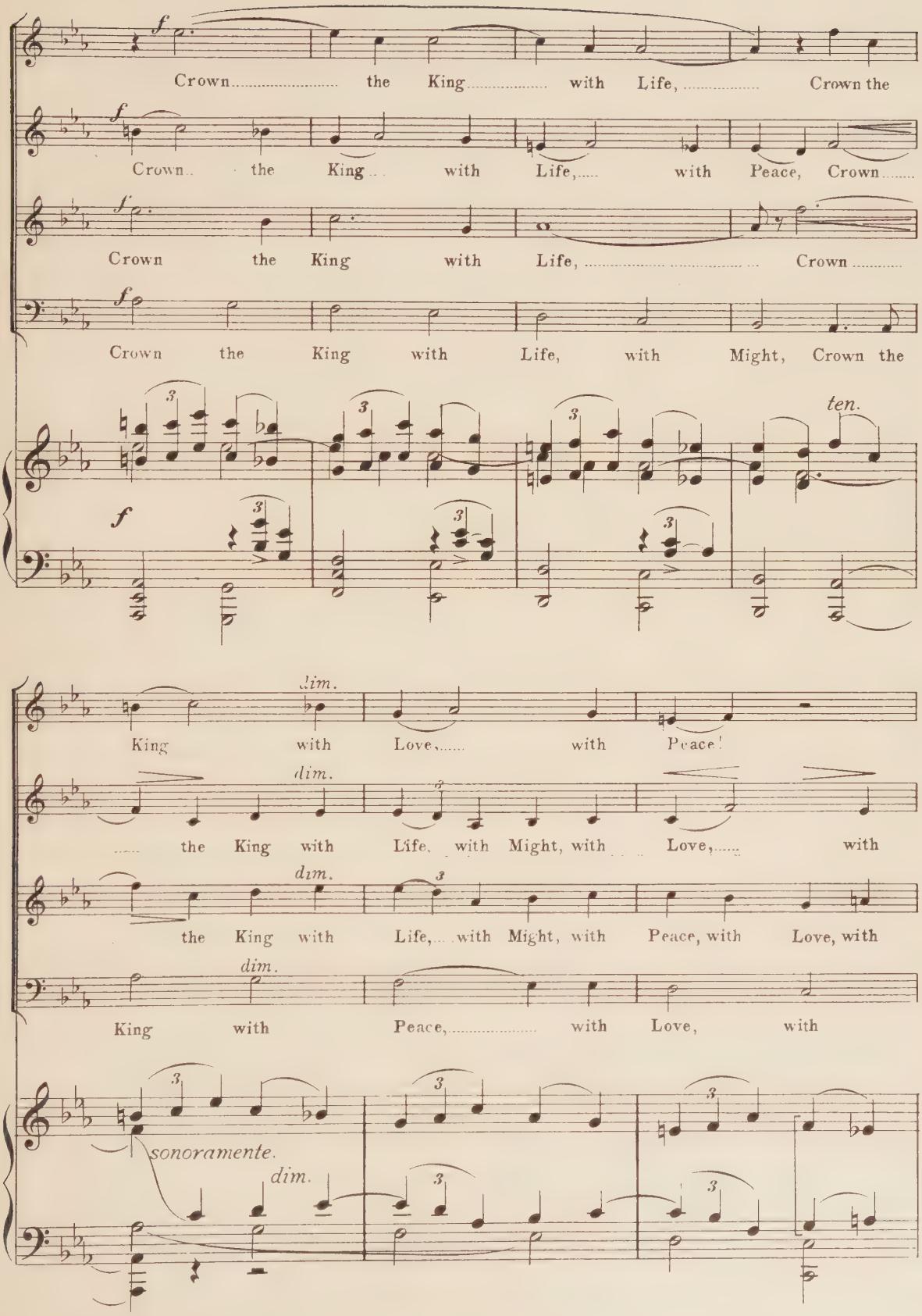
Ped.


Crown the King with Life, Crown the
Crown the King with Life, with Peace, Crown
Crown the King with Life, Crown
Crown the King with Life, with Might, Crown the
ten.
King with Love, with Peace!
the King with Life, with Might, with Love, with
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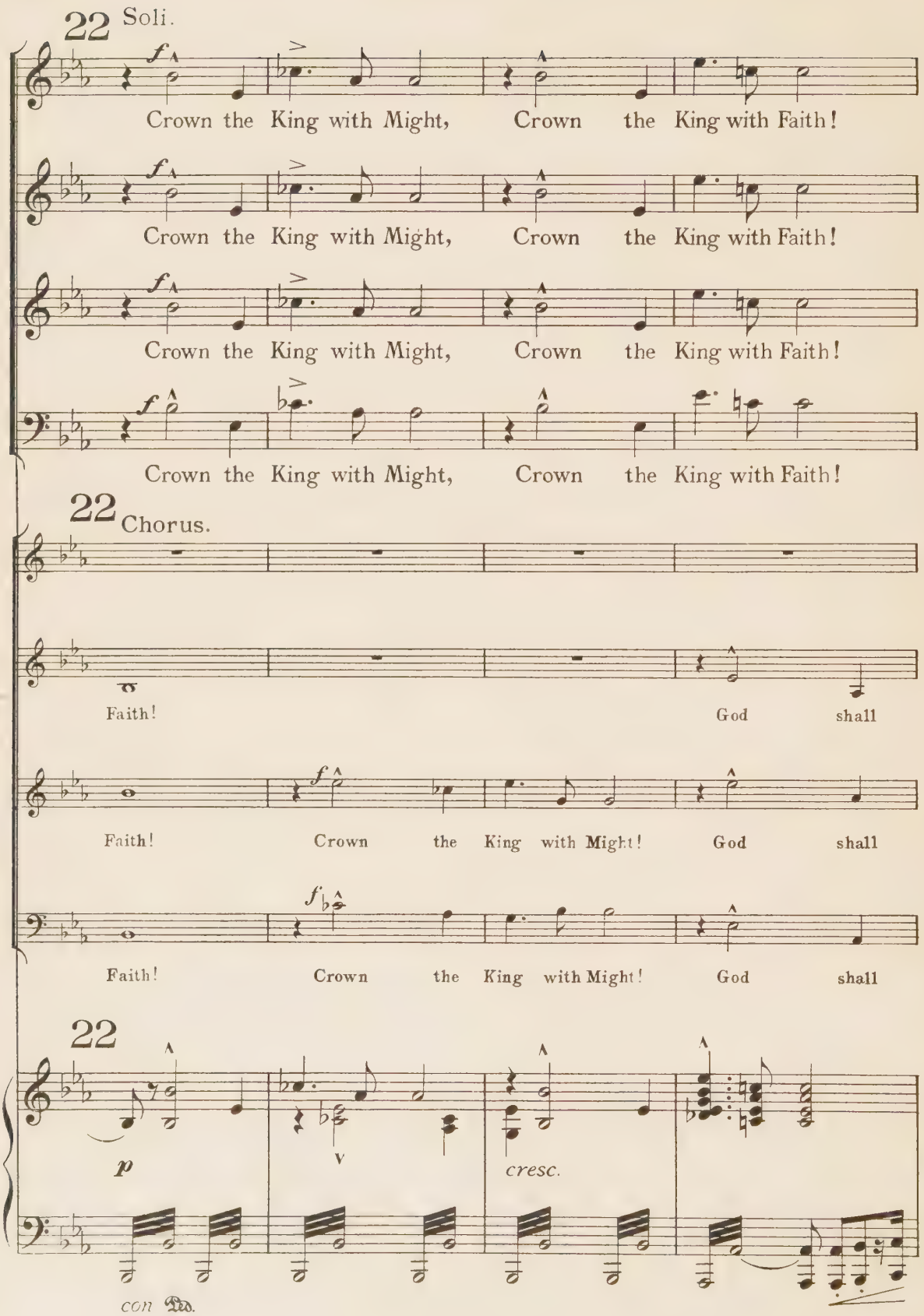
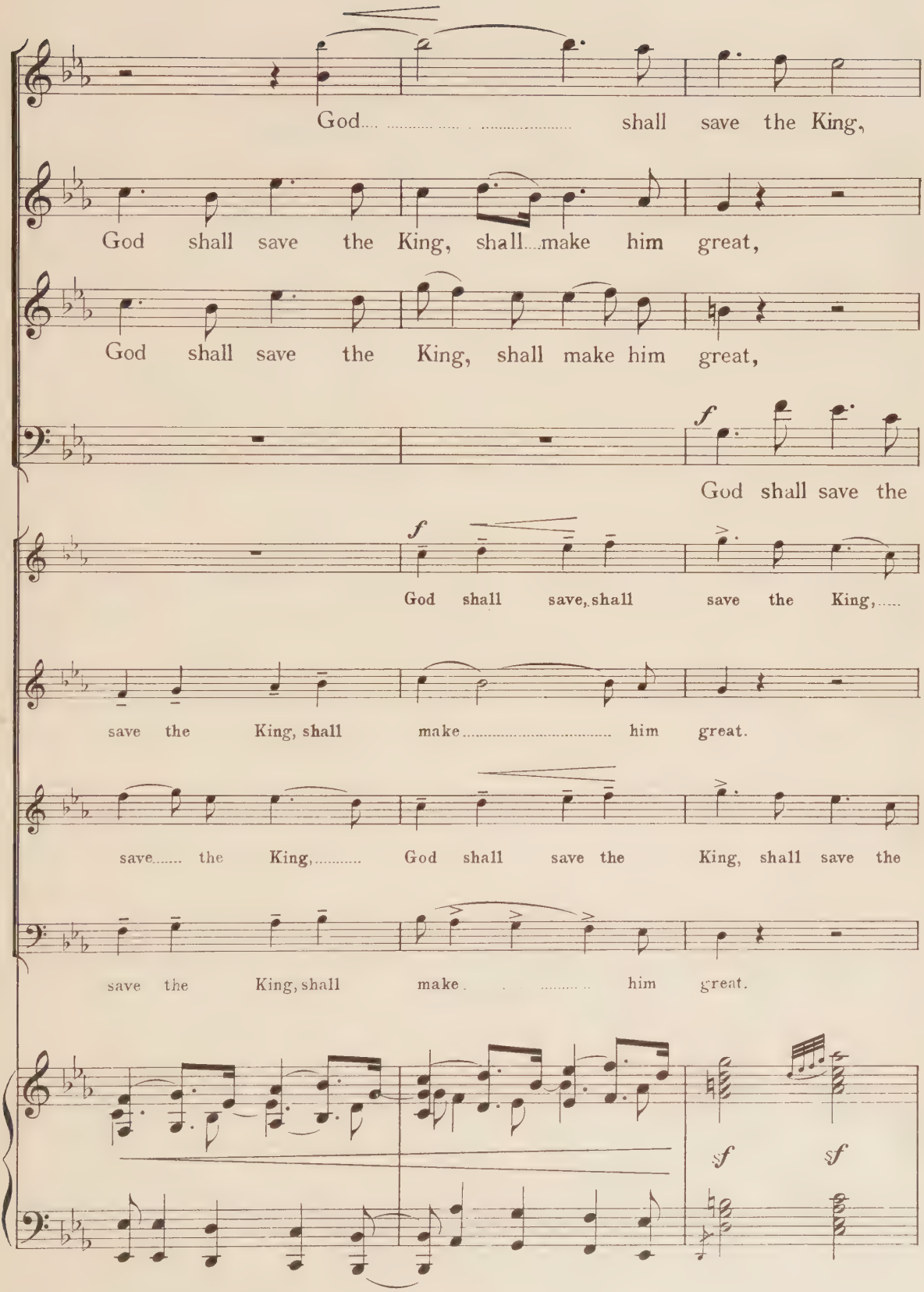

22 Soli.
Crown the King with Might, Crown the King with Faith!
Crown the King with Might, Crown the King with Faith!
Crown the King with Might, Crown the King with Faith!
Crown the King with Might, Crown the King with Faith!
22 Chorus.
Faith! God shall
Faith! Crown the King with Might! God shall
Faith! Crown the King with Might! God shall
22
cresc.
con Ped.


God shall save the King,
God shall save the King, shall make him great,
God shall save the King, shall make him great,
God shall save the
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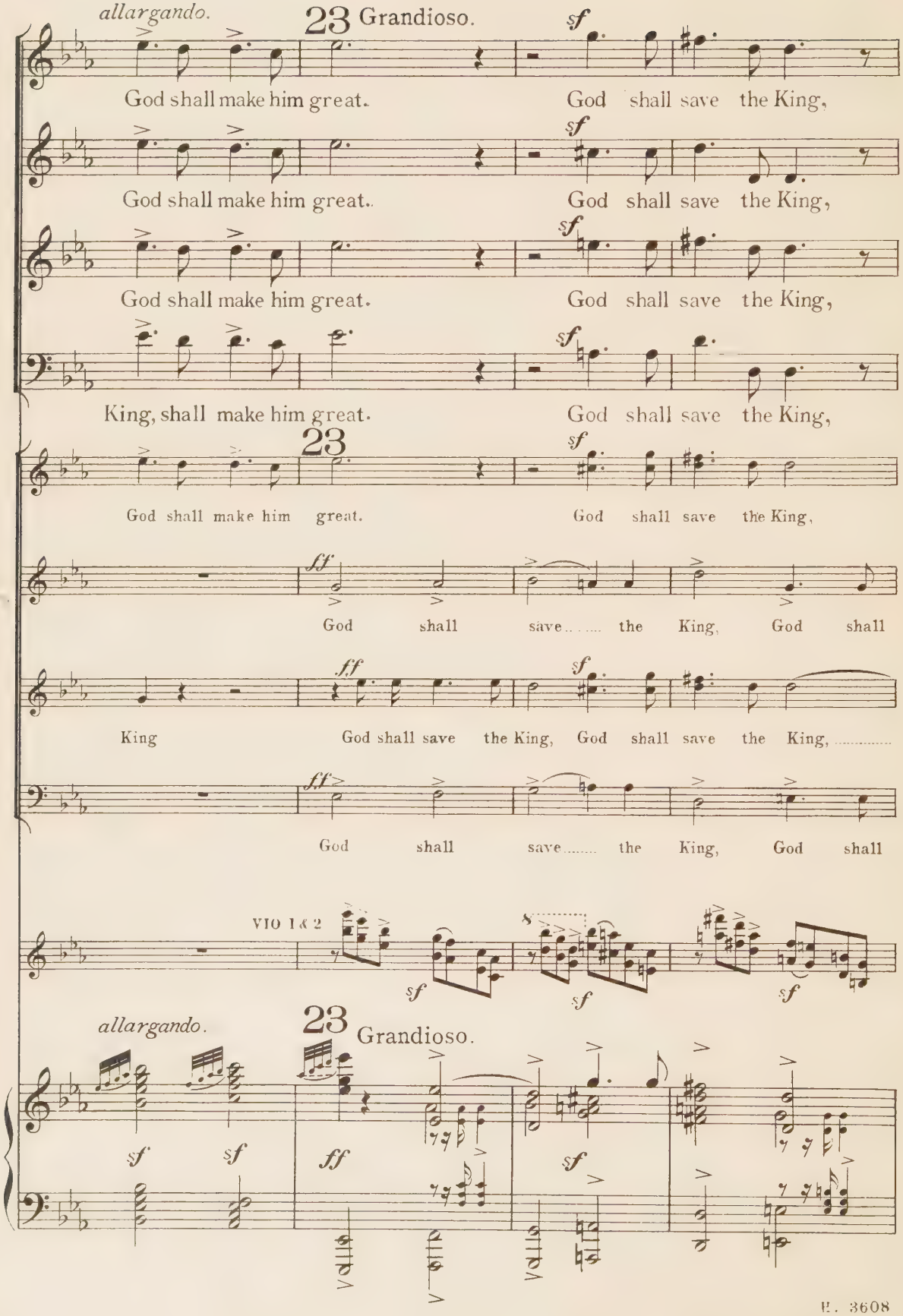
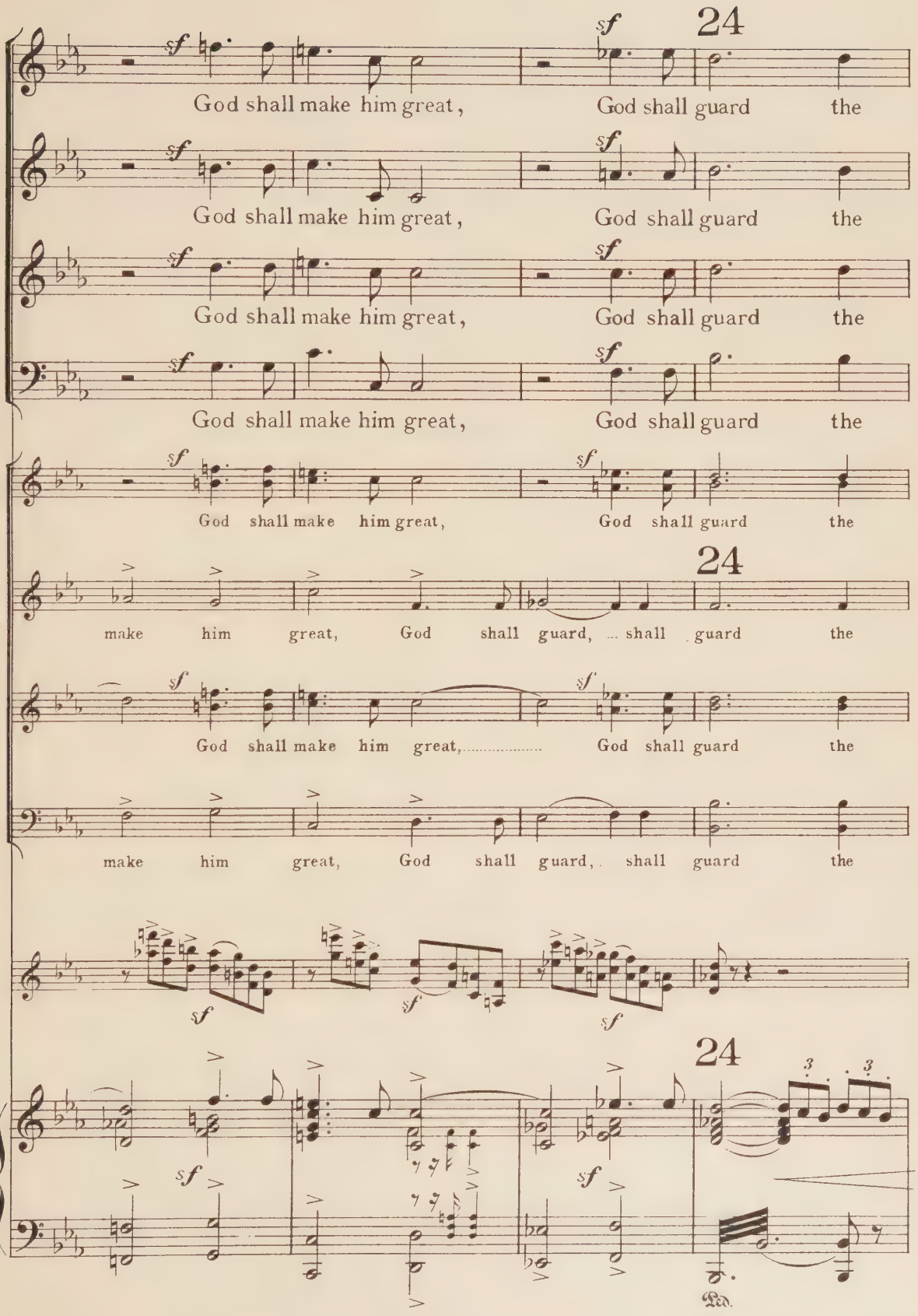
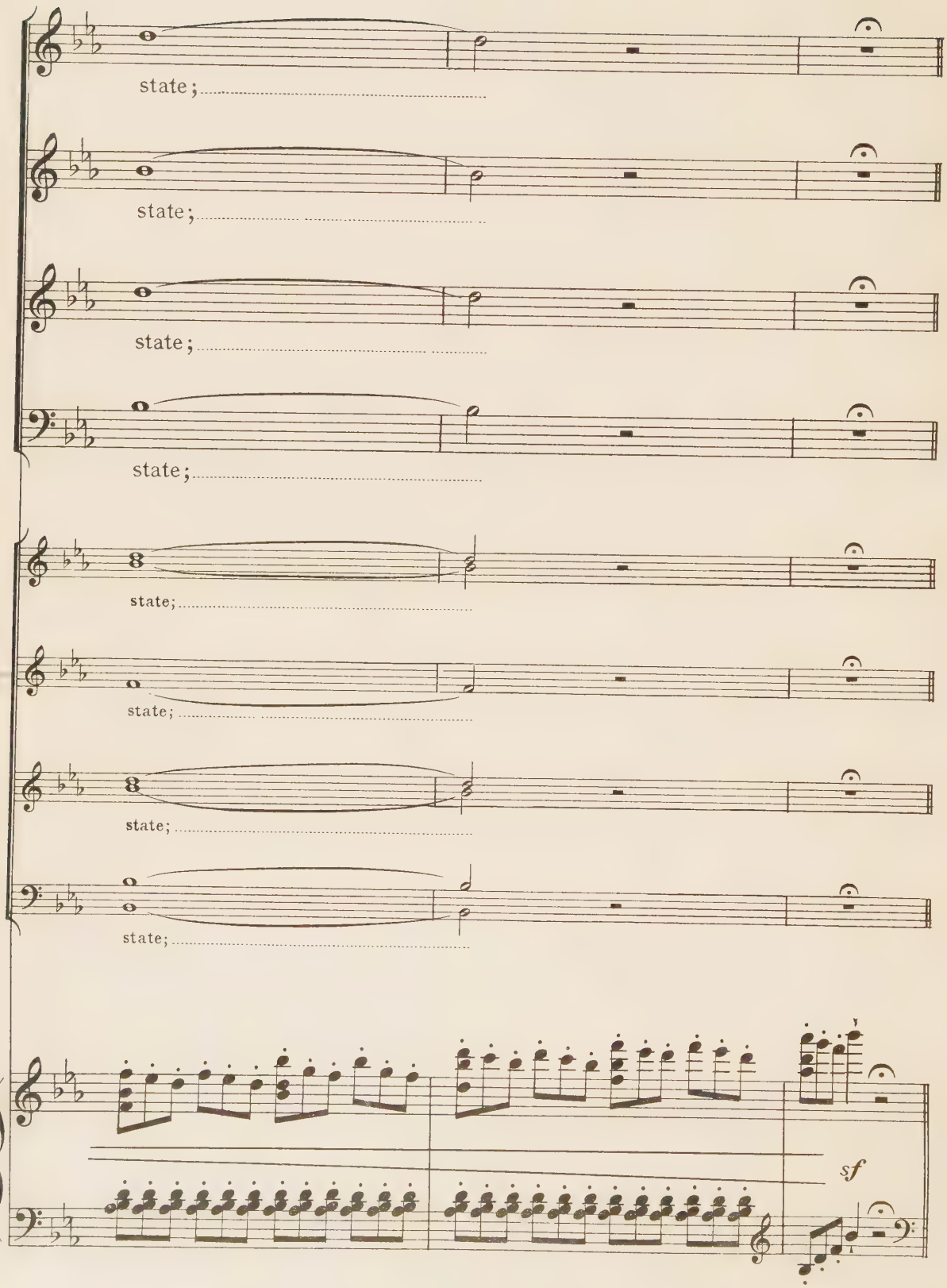
save the King, shall make him great.
save the King, God shall save the King, shall save the
save the King, shall make him great.
sf
sf

allargando.
23 Grandioso.
God shall make him great.
God shall save the King,
God shall make him great.
God shall save the King,
God shall make him great.
God shall save the King,
King, shall make him great.
God shall save the King,
23
God shall make him great.
God shall save the King,
God shall save..... the King, God shall
King
God shall save the King, God shall save the King,
God shall save..... the King, God shall
VIO 1 & 2
allargando.
23 Grandioso.


24
God shall make him great, God shall guard the
God shall make him great, God shall guard the
God shall make him great, God shall guard the
God shall make him great, God shall guard the
God shall make him great, God shall guard the
24
make him great, God shall guard, shall guard the
God shall make him great, God shall guard the
make him great, God shall guard, shall guard the
24
Ped.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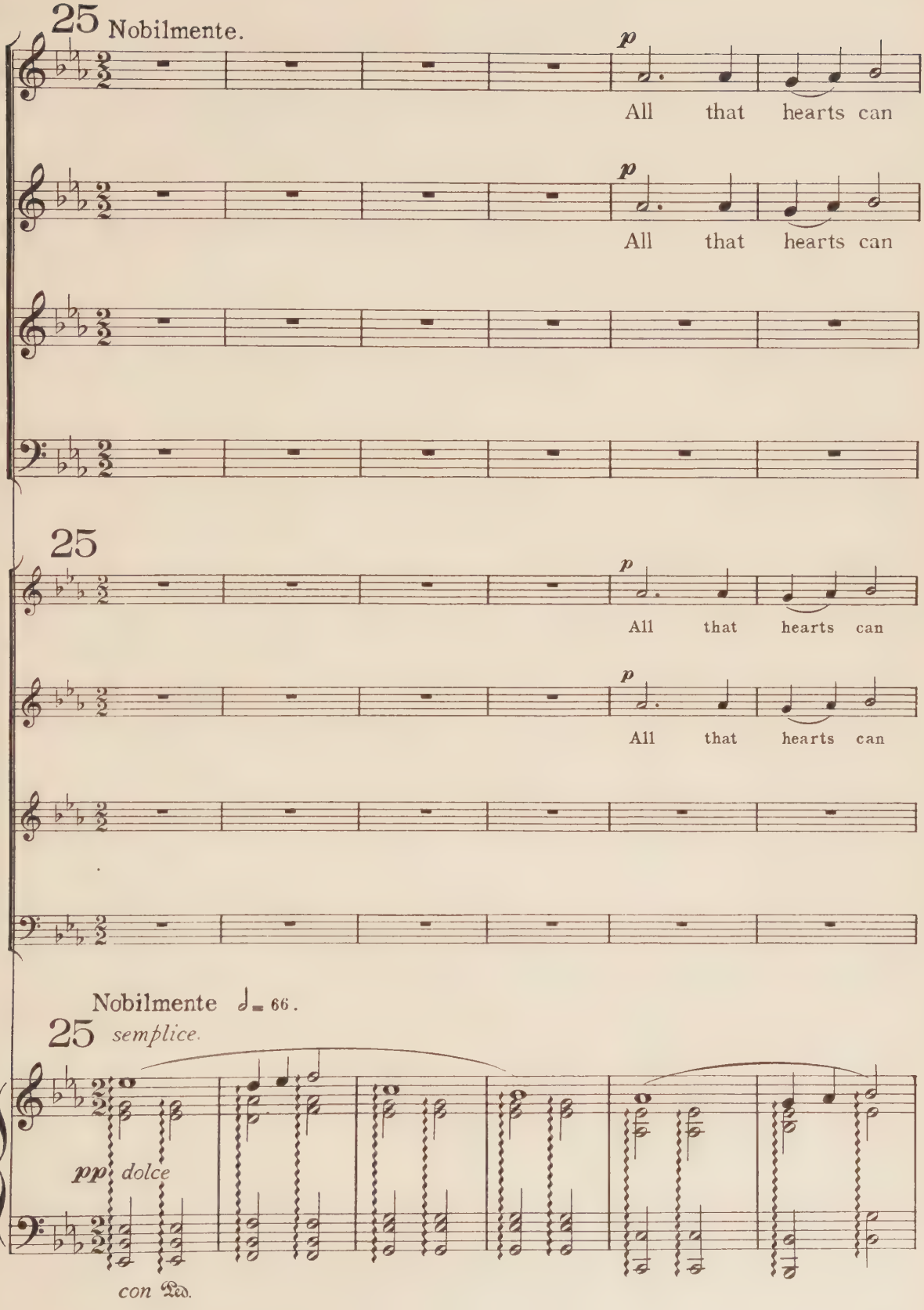
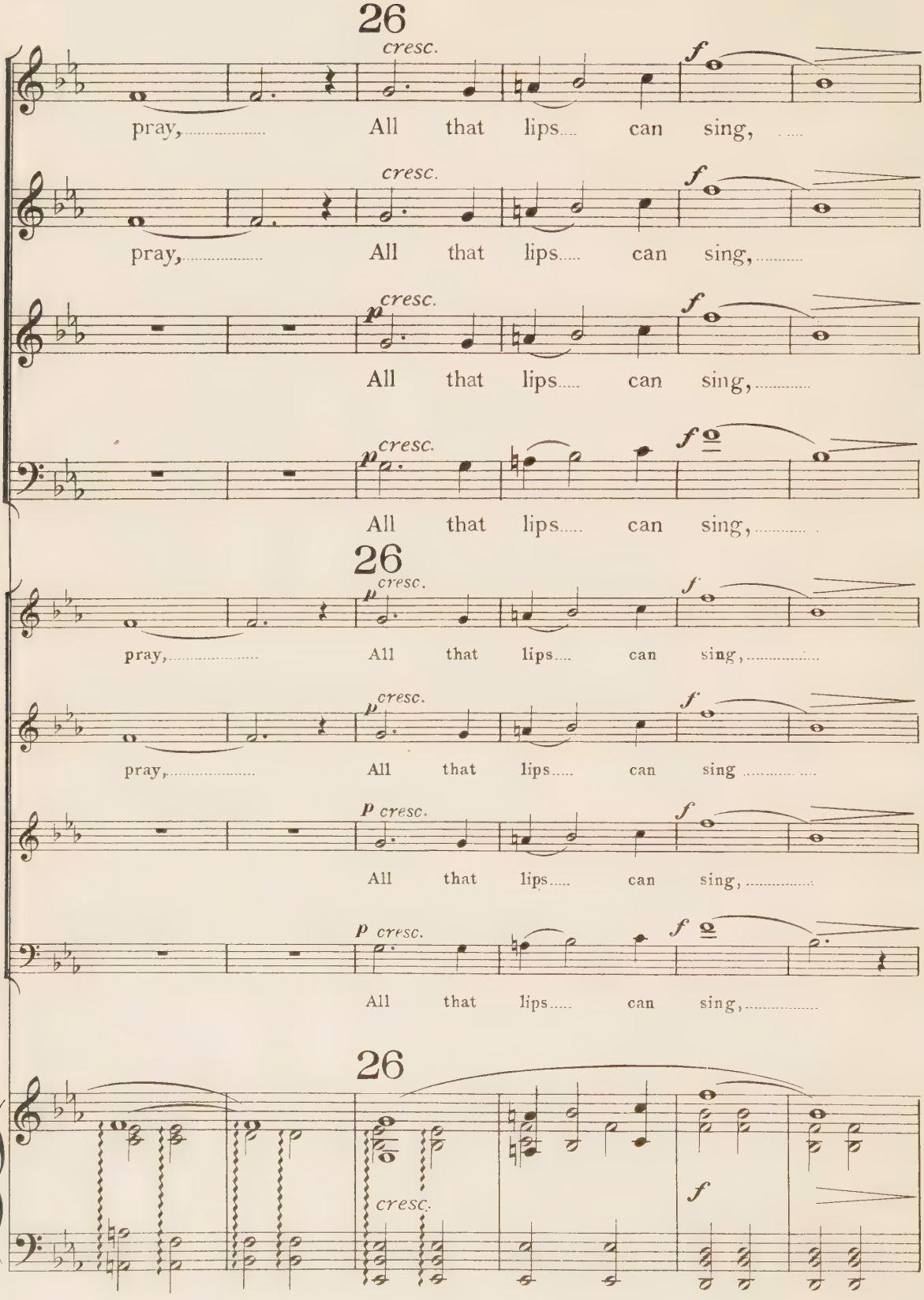
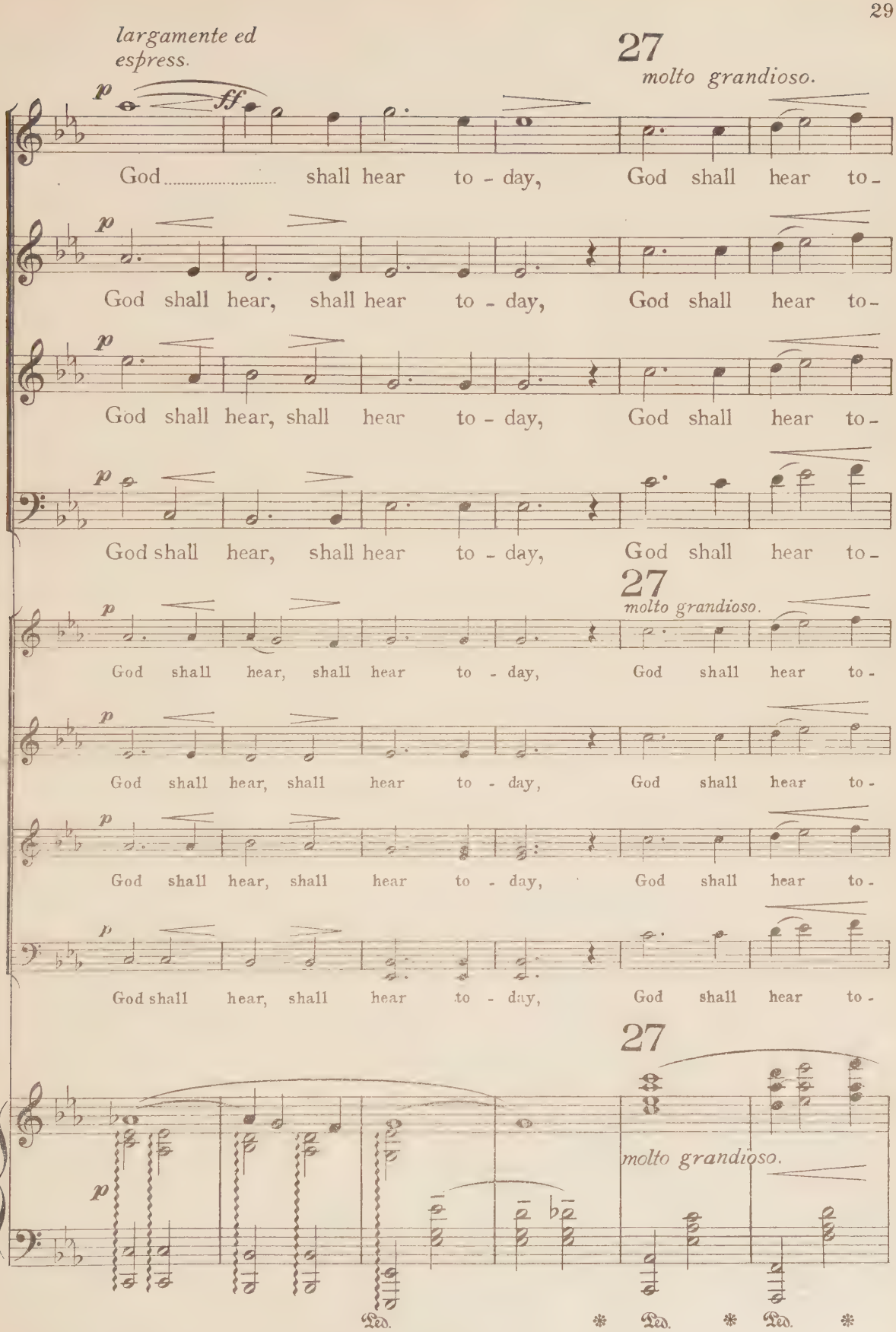
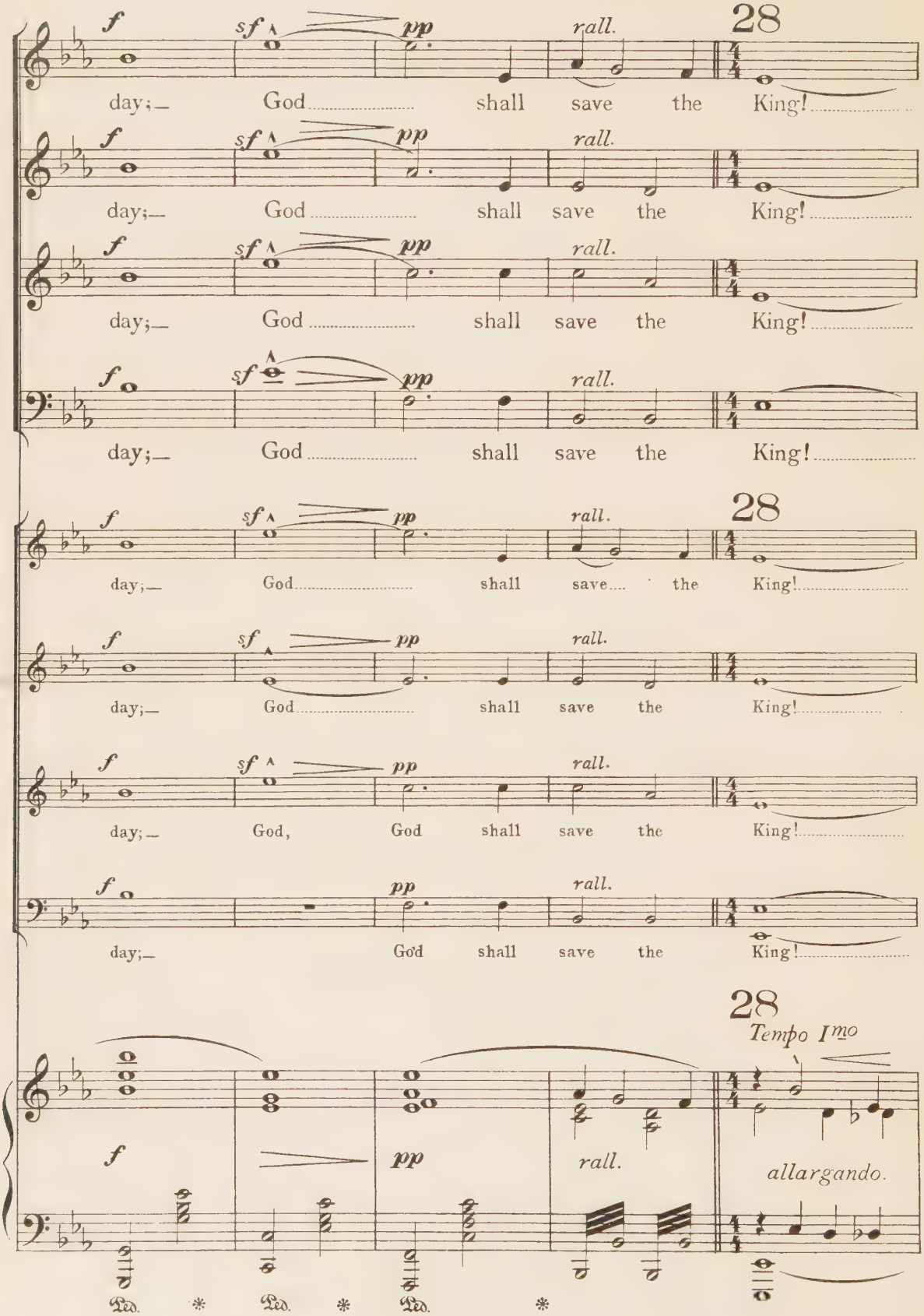
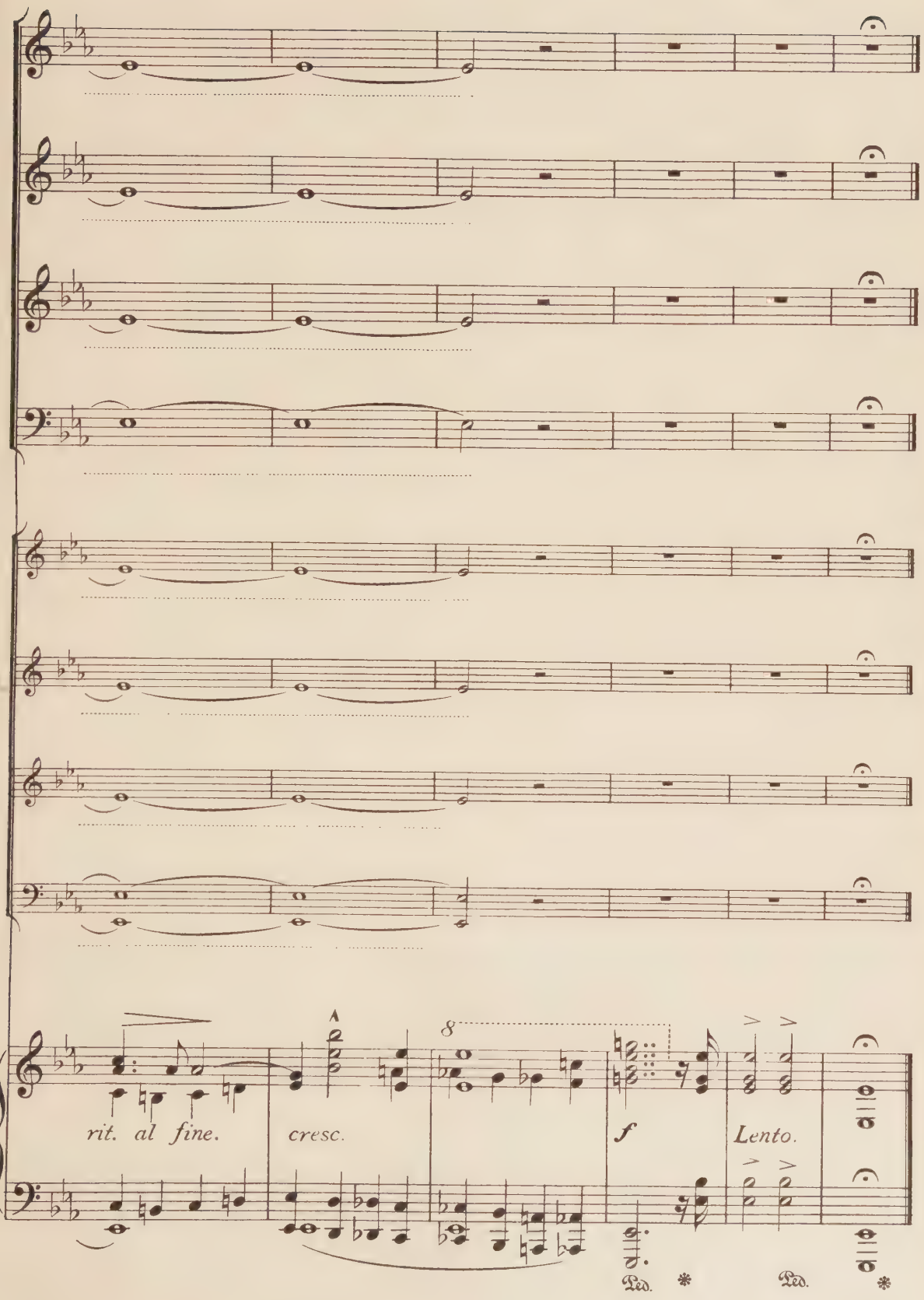
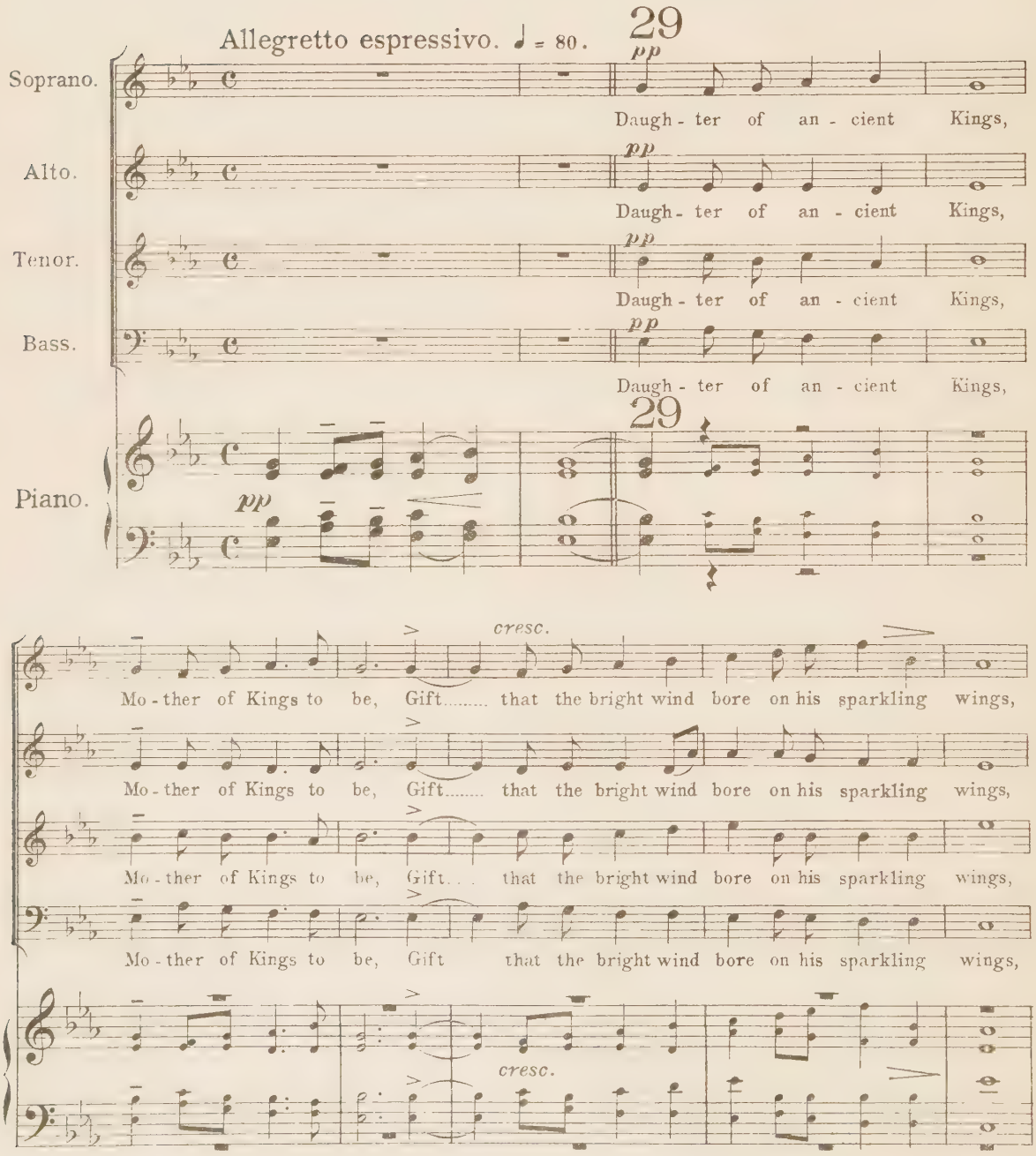

25 Nobilmente.
p
All that hearts can
p
All that hearts can
25
p
All that hearts can
p
All that hearts can
Nobilmente ♩= 66.
25 semplice.
pp dolce
con Ped.

26
cresc.
f
pray, All that lips can sing,
cresc.
f
pray, All that lips can sing,
p cresc.
f
All that lips can sing,
p cresc.
f
All that lips can sing,
26
p cresc.
f
pray, All that lips can sing,
p cresc.
f
pray, All that lips can sing
p cresc.
f
All that lips can sing,
p cresc.
f
All that lips can sing,
26
cresc.
f


largamente ed espress.
27
molto grandioso.
p
ff
God shall hear to - day, God shall hear to -
God shall hear, shall hear to - day, God shall hear to -
God shall hear, shall hear to - day, God shall hear to -
God shall hear, shall hear to - day, God shall hear to -
27
molto grandioso.
God shall hear, shall hear to - day, God shall hear to -
God shall hear, shall hear to - day, God shall hear to -
God shall hear, shall hear to - day, God shall hear to -
God shall hear, shall hear to - day, God shall hear to -
27
molto grandioso.
Ped. * Ped. * Ped. *

f
sf
pp
rall.
28
day;— God shall save the King!
day;— God shall save the King!
day;— God shall save the King!
day;— God shall save the King!
day;— God shall save the King!
day;— God shall save the King!
day;— God, God shall save the King!
day;— God shall save the King!
28
Tempo Imo
allargando.
Ped. * Ped. * Ped. *


rit. al fine.
cresc.
8
f
Lento.
Ped.
Ped.

II.

DAUGHTER OF ANCIENT KINGS.

Chorus.

Allegretto espressivo. ♩ = 80.
29
Soprano.
Alto.
Tenor.
Bass.
Piano.
pp
Daugh - ter of an - cient Kings,
cresc.
Mo - ther of Kings to be, Gift..... that the bright wind bore on his sparkling wings,
Mo - ther of Kings to be, Gift..... that the bright wind bore on his sparkling wings,
Mo - ther of Kings to be, Gift.... that the bright wind bore on his sparkling wings,
Mo - ther of Kings to be, Gift that the bright wind bore on his sparkling wings,
cresc.

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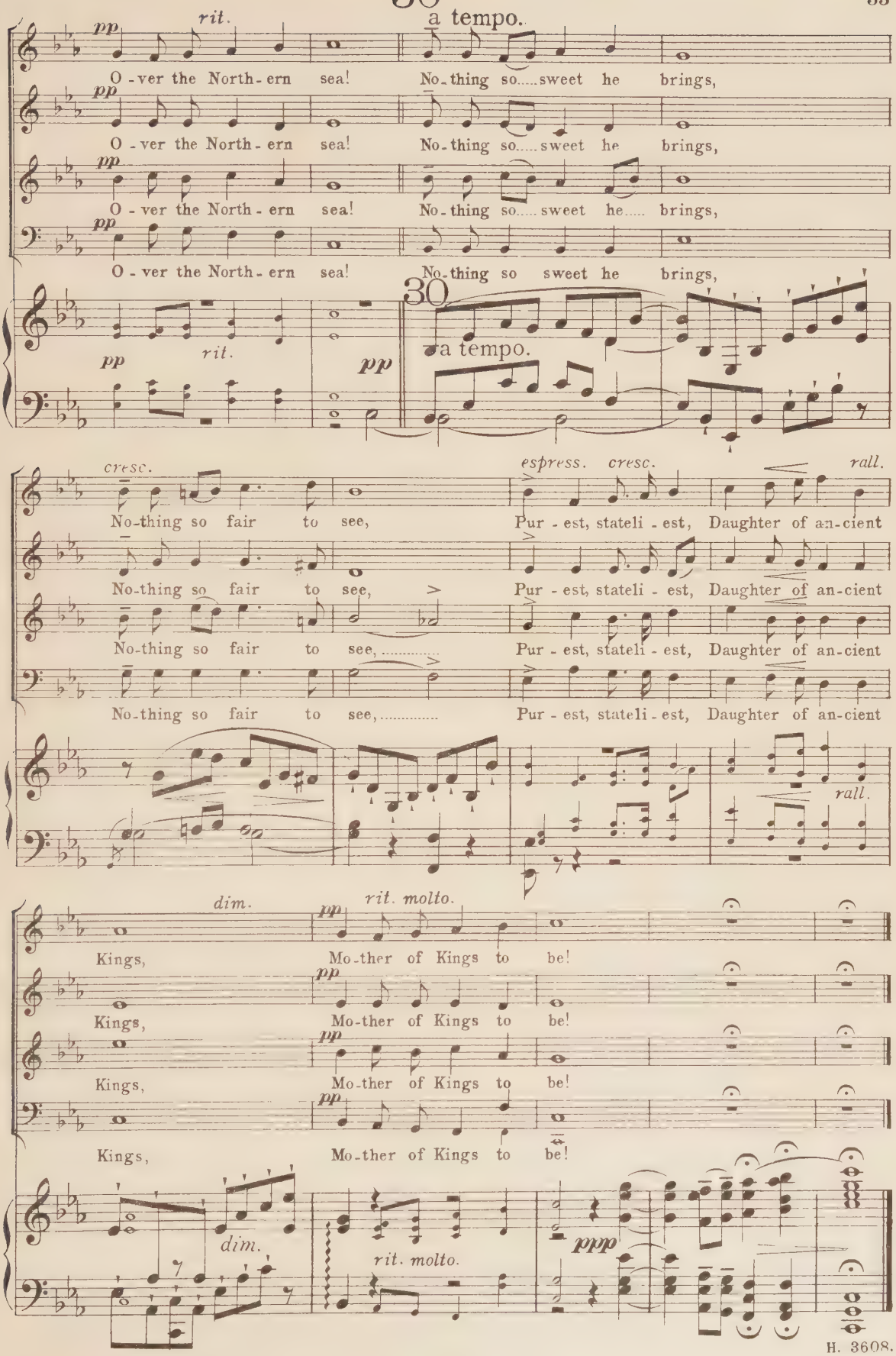
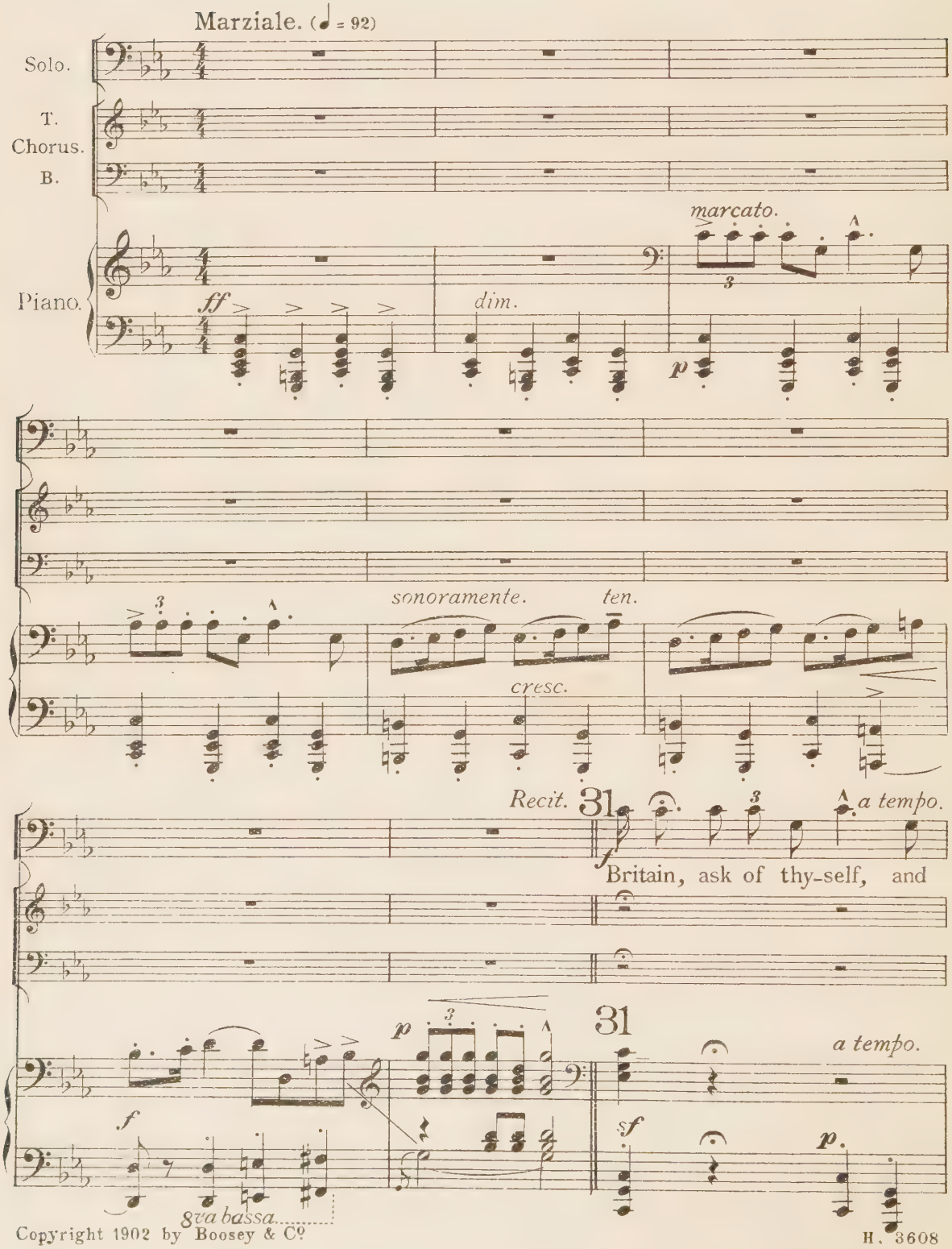

a tempo.
pp rit.
O - ver the North - ern sea! No - thing so..... sweet he brings,
O - ver the North - ern sea! No - thing so..... sweet he brings,
O - ver the North - ern sea! No - thing so..... sweet he..... brings,
O - ver the North - ern sea! No - thing so sweet he brings,
30
a tempo.
cresc.
espress. cresc.
rall.
No - thing so fair to see, Pur - est, stateli - est, Daughter of an - cient
No - thing so fair to see, Pur - est, stateli - est, Daughter of an - cient
No - thing so fair to see, Pur - est, stateli - est, Daughter of an - cient
No - thing so fair to see, Pur - est, stateli - est, Daughter of an - cient
dim.
rit. molto.
Kings, Mo - ther of Kings to be!
Kings, Mo - ther of Kings to be!
Kings, Mo - ther of Kings to be!
Kings, Mo - ther of Kings to be!
ppp

III.

BRITAIN, ASK OF THYSELF.

Solo (*Bass*) and Chorus (*Tenor and Bass*).

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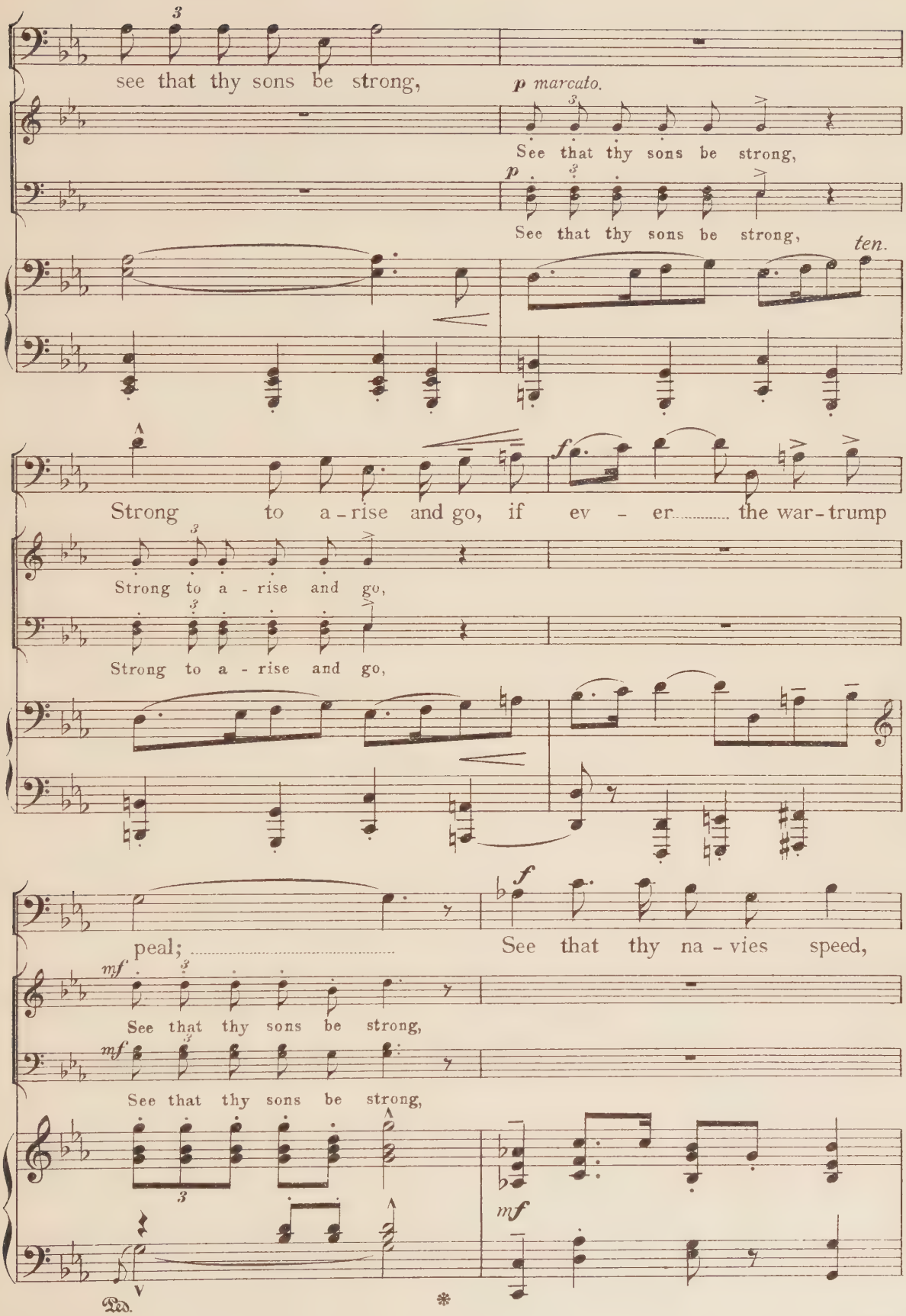
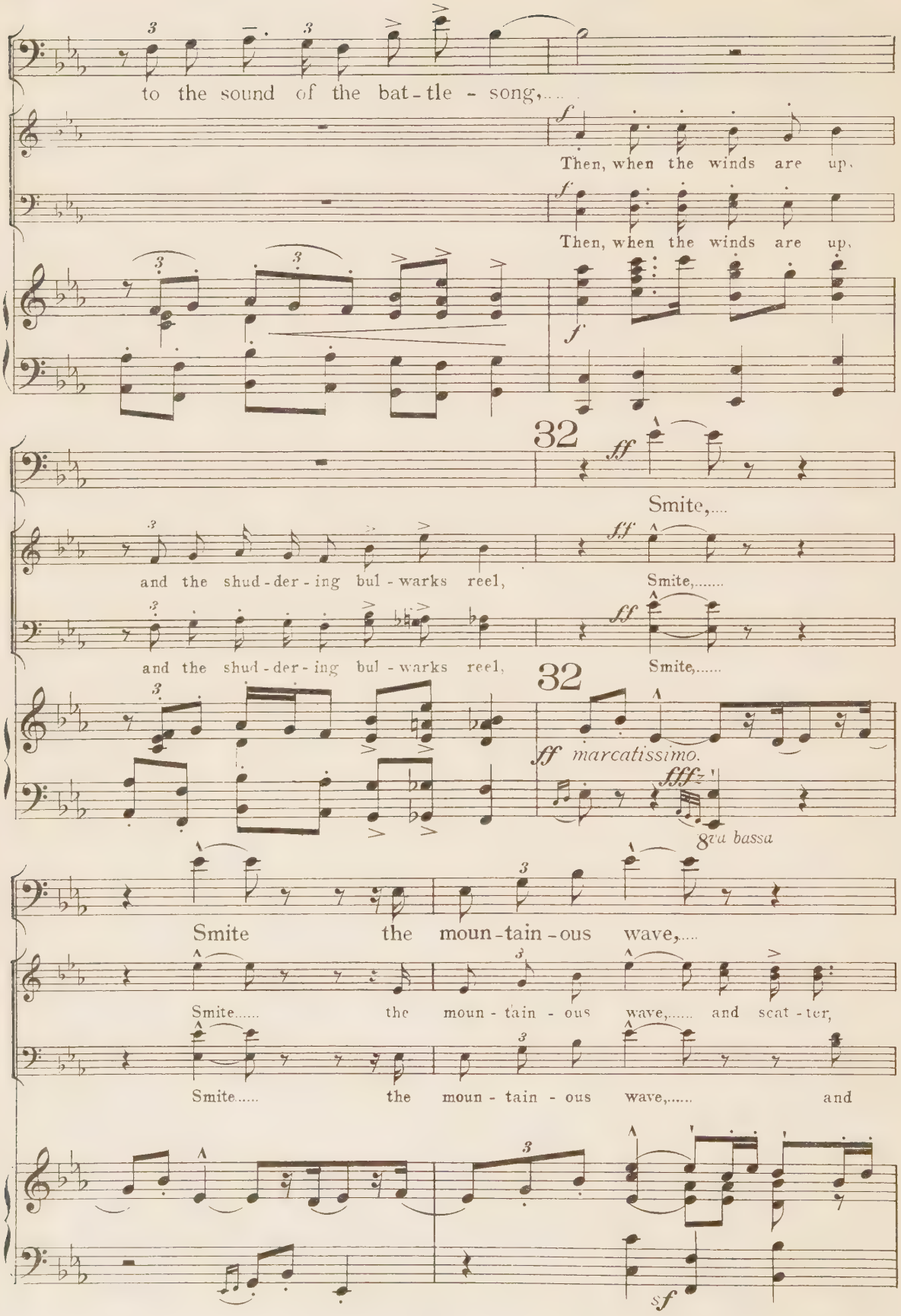
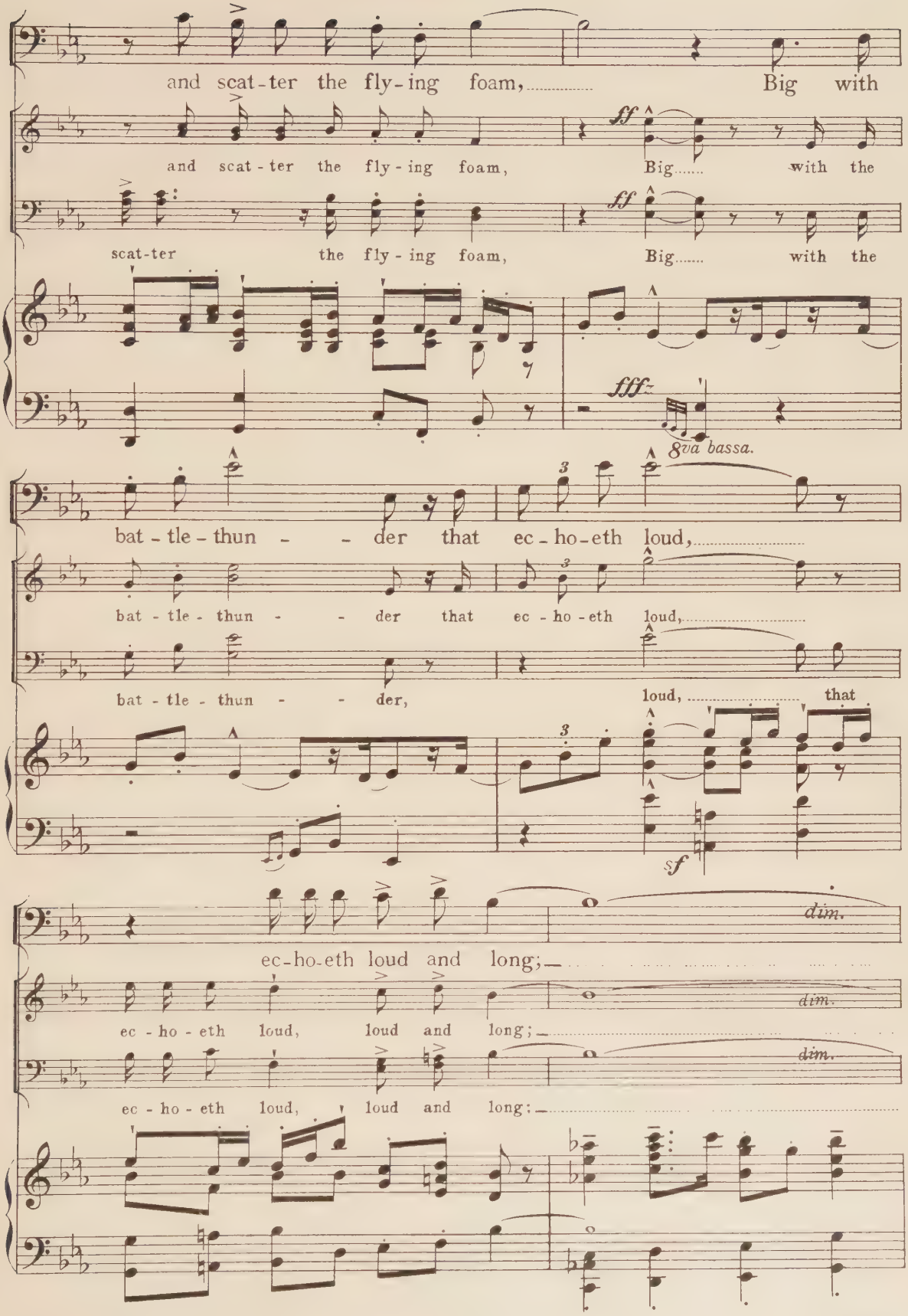
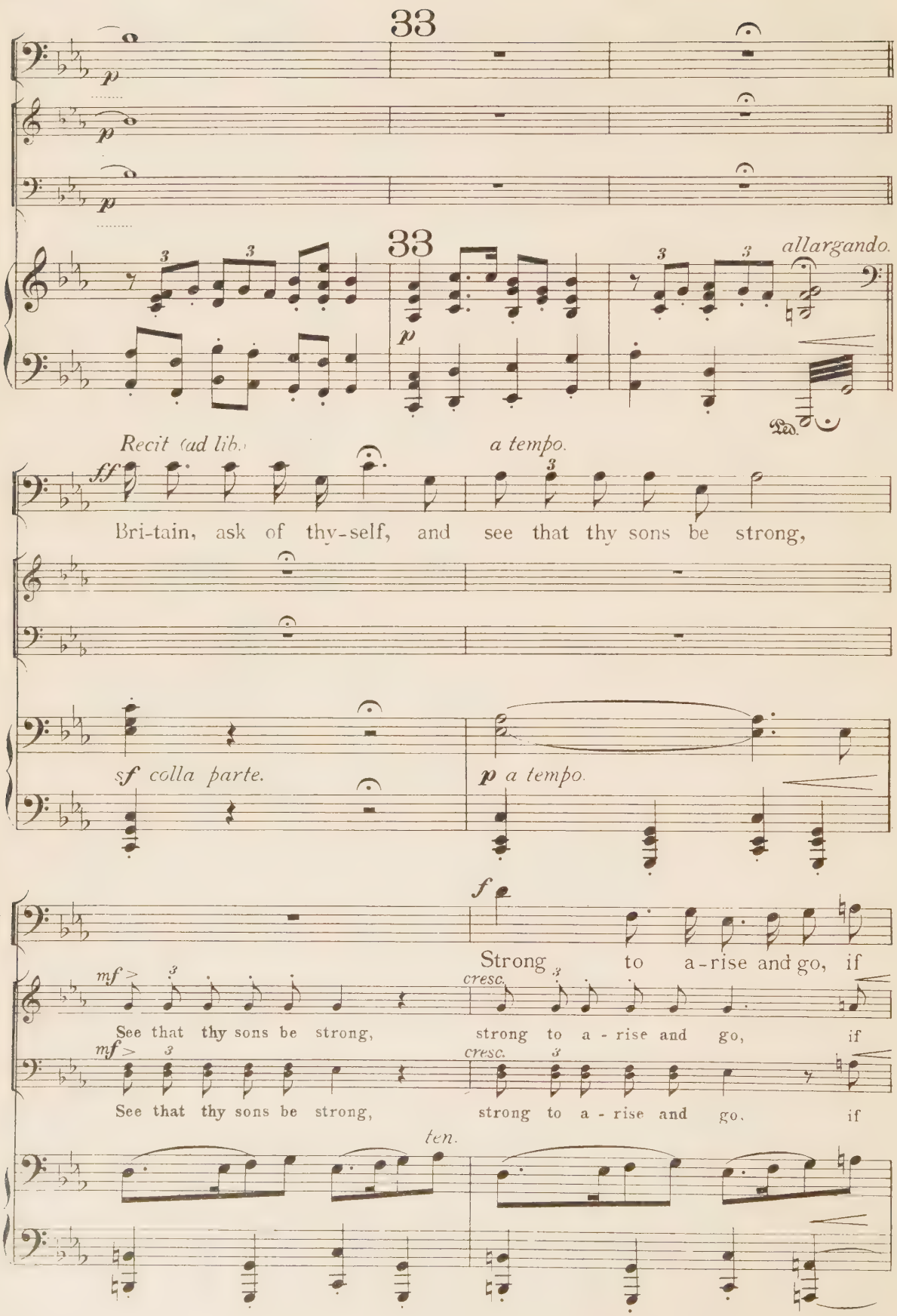
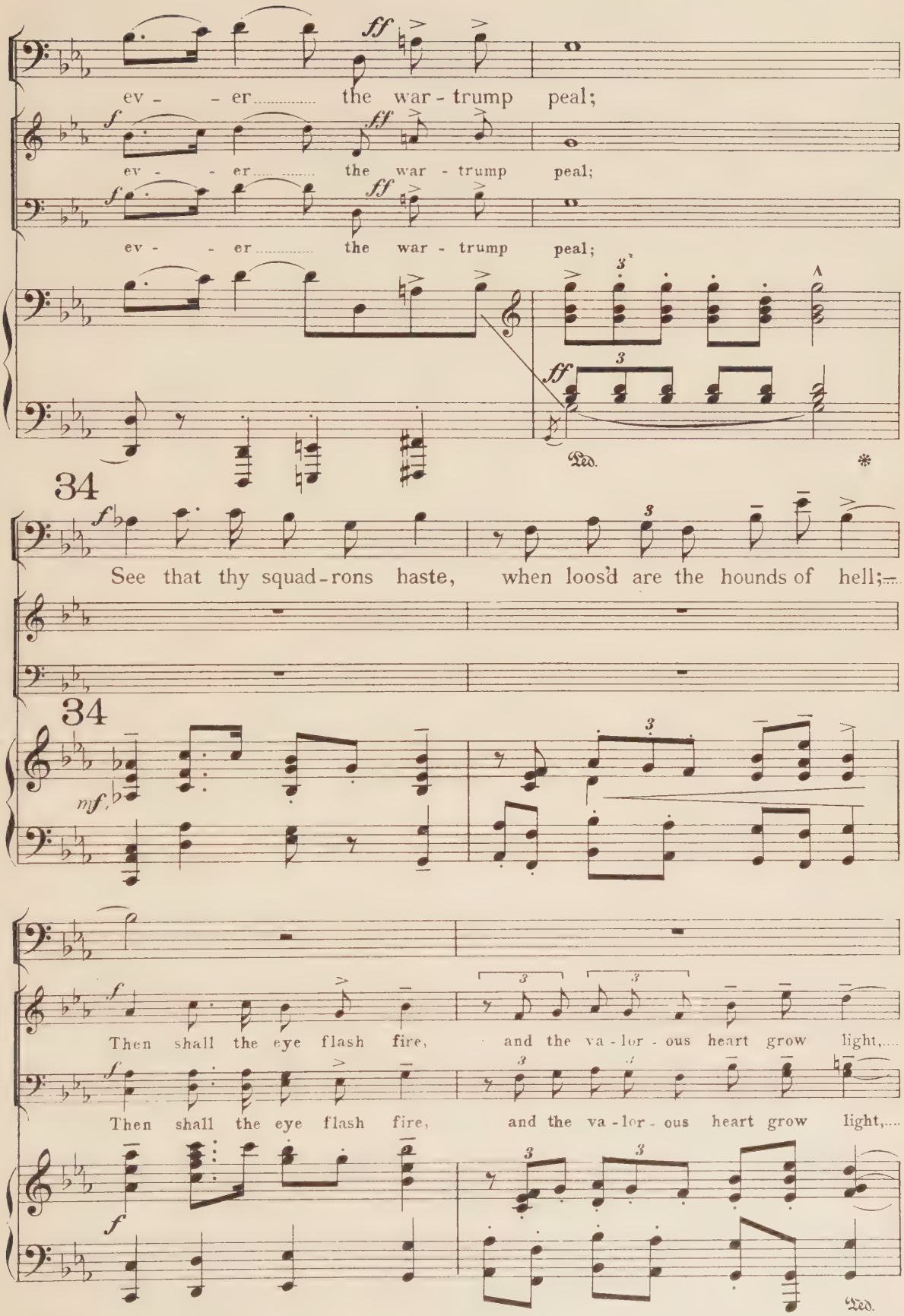
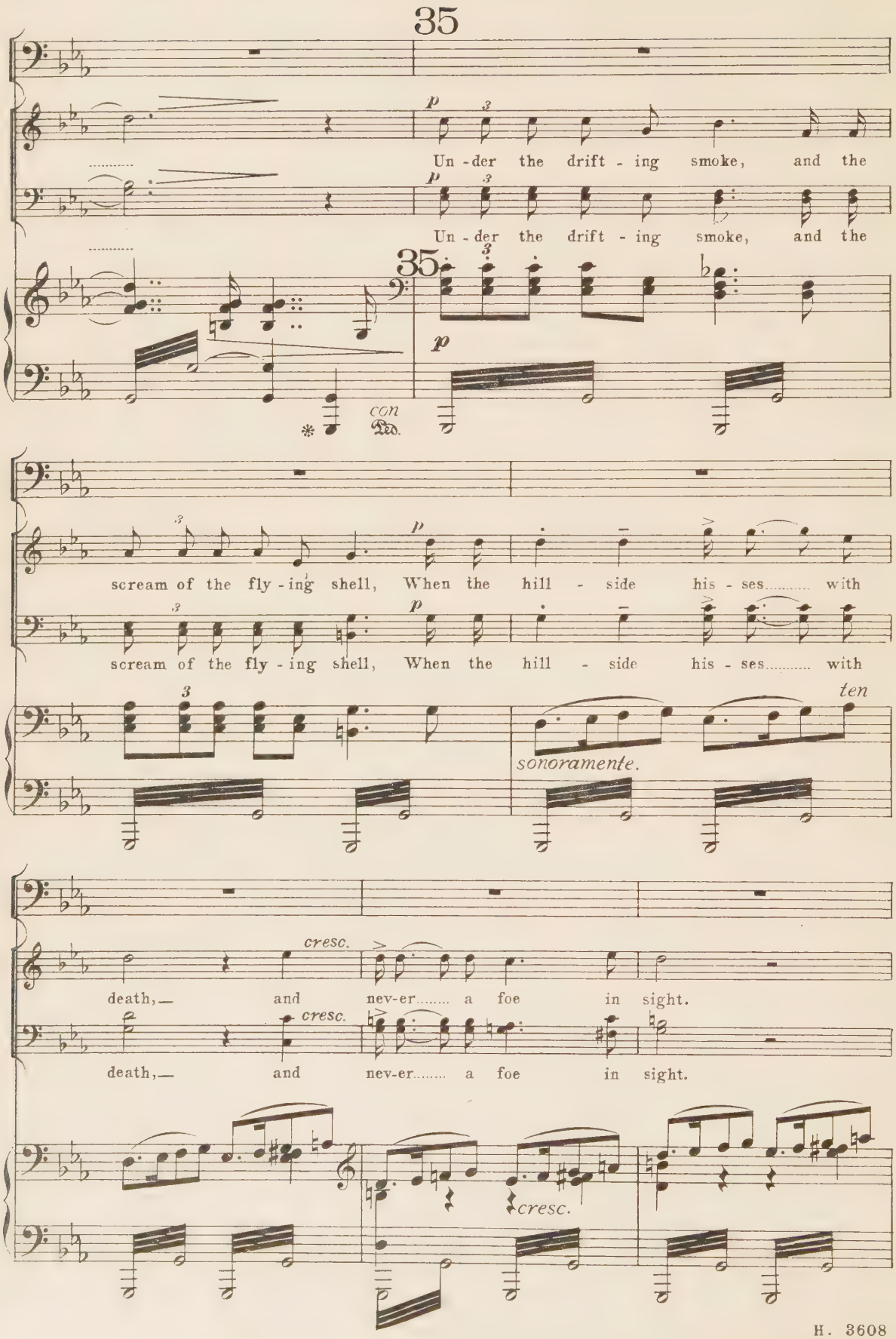
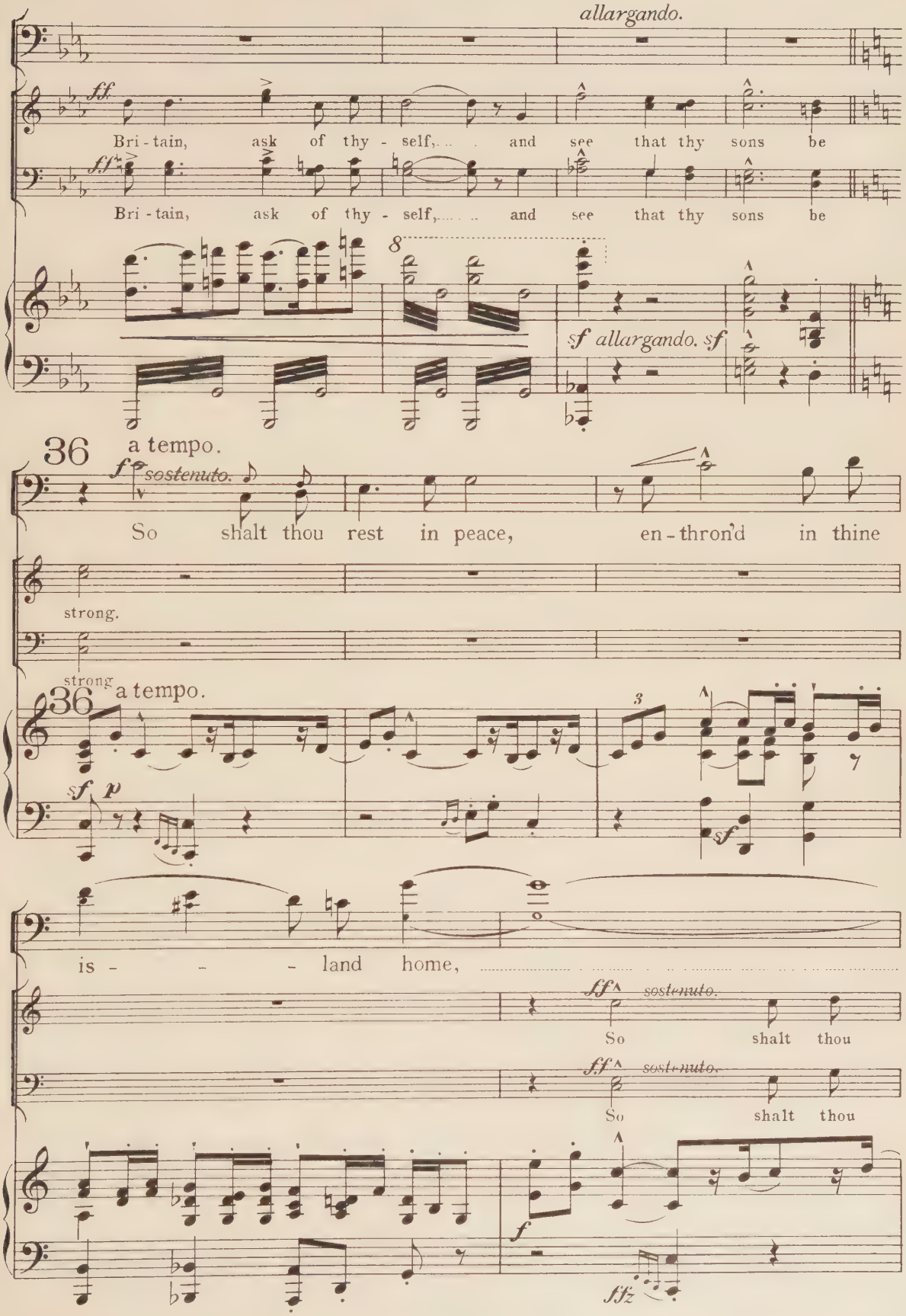
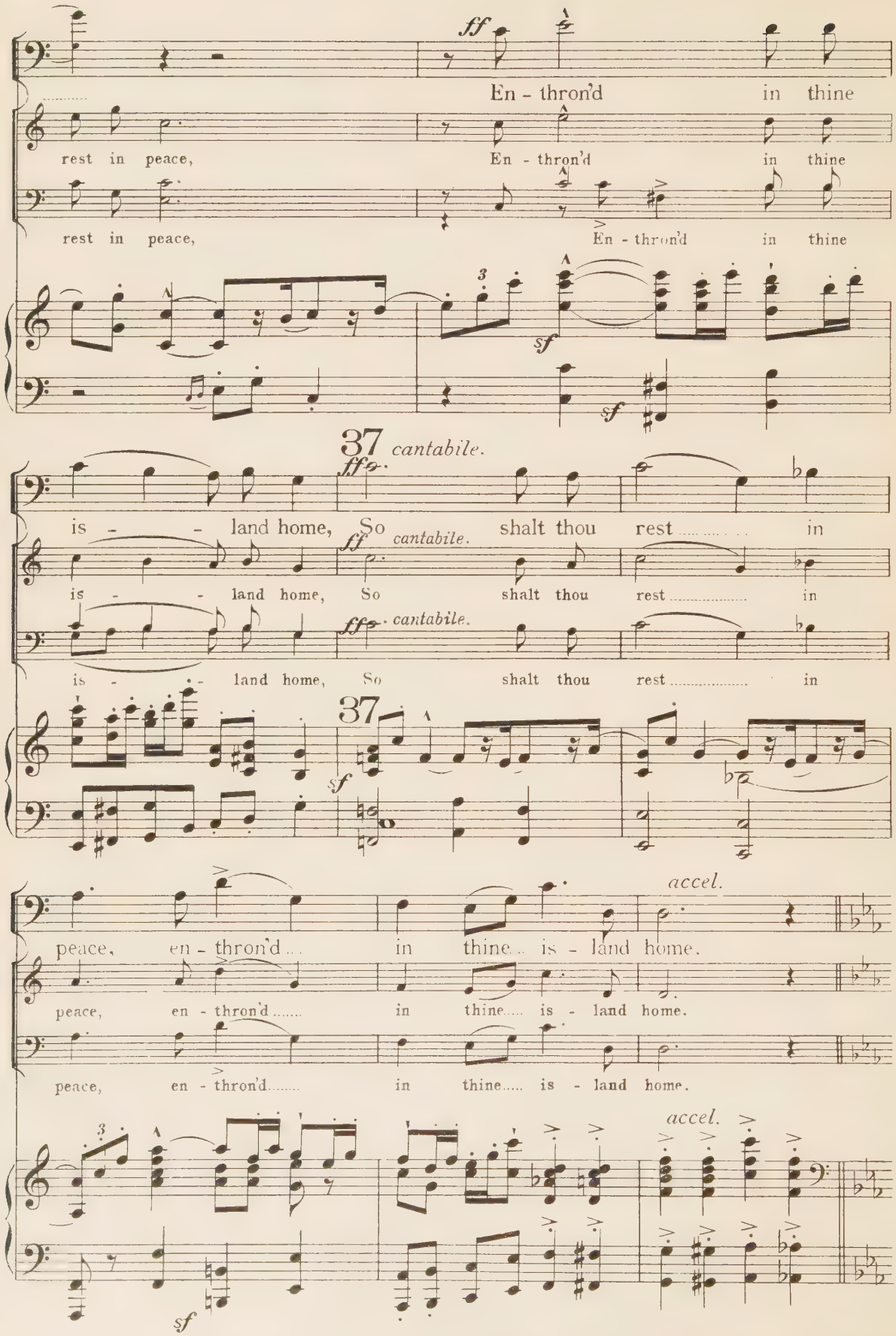
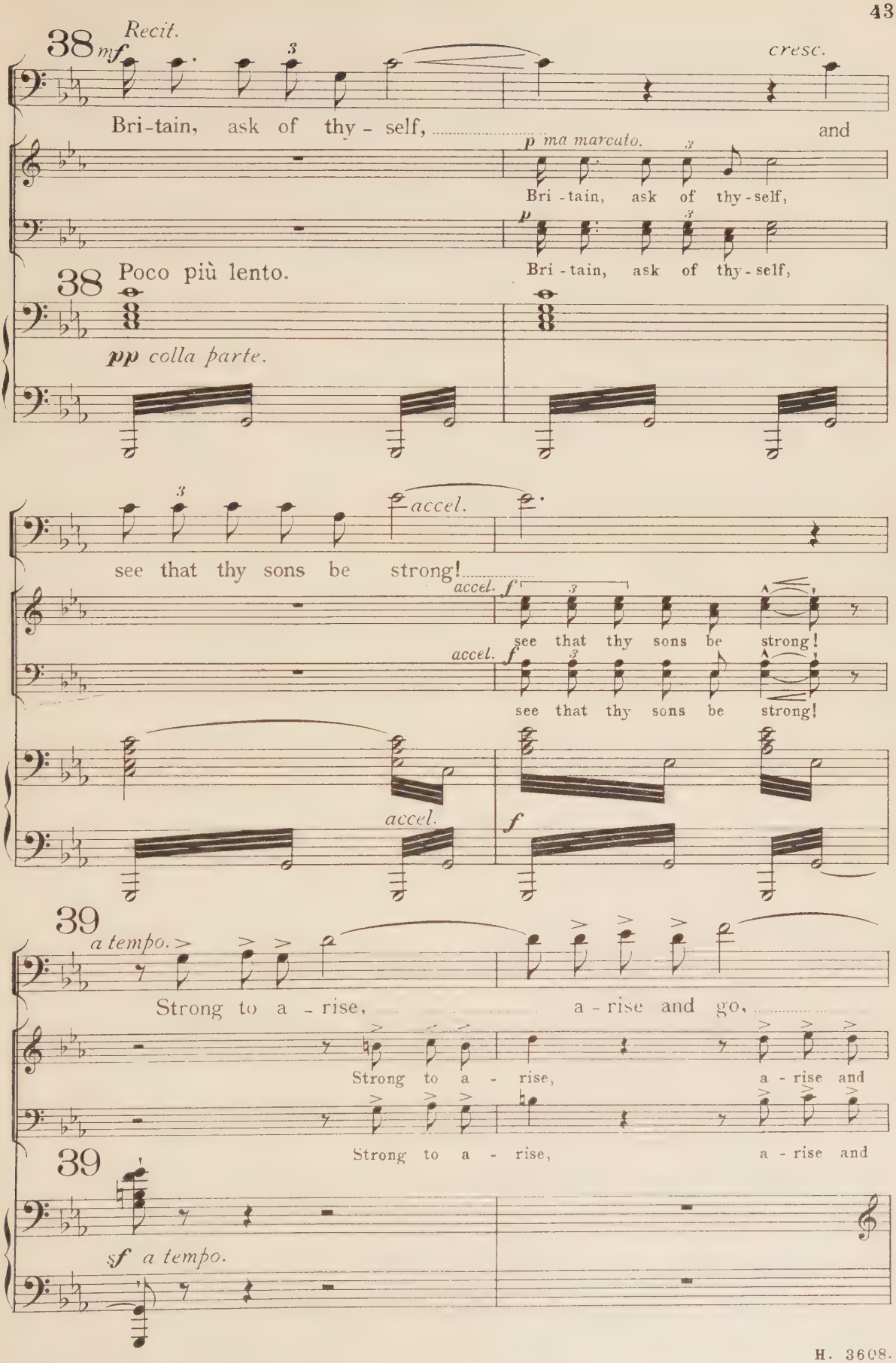

see that thy sons be strong,
p marcato.
See that thy sons be strong,
p
See that thy sons be strong,
ten.
Strong to a - rise and go, if ev - er the war-trump
Strong to a - rise and go,
Strong to a - rise and go,
peal;
f
See that thy na - vies speed,
mf
See that thy sons be strong,
mf
See that thy sons be strong,
mf
Ped.
*

to the sound of the bat-tle - song,
Then, when the winds are up,
Then, when the winds are up,
32
Smite,
and the shud-der-ing bul-warks reel,
Smite,
and the shud-der-ing bul-warks reel,
Smite,
32
marcatissimo.
8va bassa
Smite the moun-tain-ous wave,
Smite the moun-tain-ous wave, and scat-ter,
Smite the moun-tain-ous wave, and

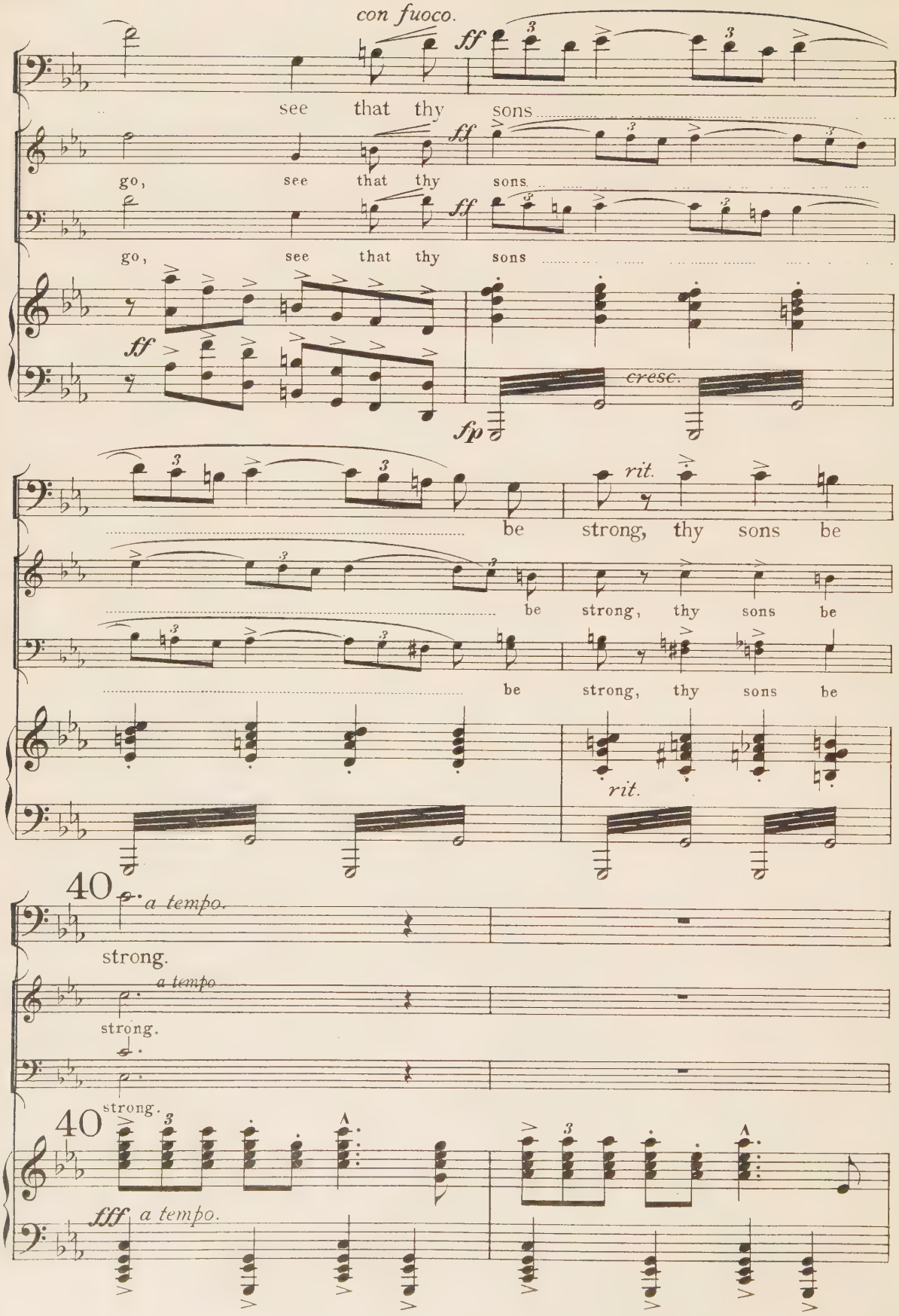

and scat-ter the fly-ing foam, Big with
and scat-ter the fly-ing foam, Big with the
scat-ter the fly-ing foam, Big with the
ff
fff
8va bassa.
bat-tle-thun - - der that ec-ho-eth loud,
bat-tle-thun - - der that ec-ho-eth loud,
bat-tle-thun - - der, loud, that
sf
ec-ho-eth loud and long;
ec-ho-eth loud, loud and long;
ec-ho-eth loud, loud and long;
dim.
dim.

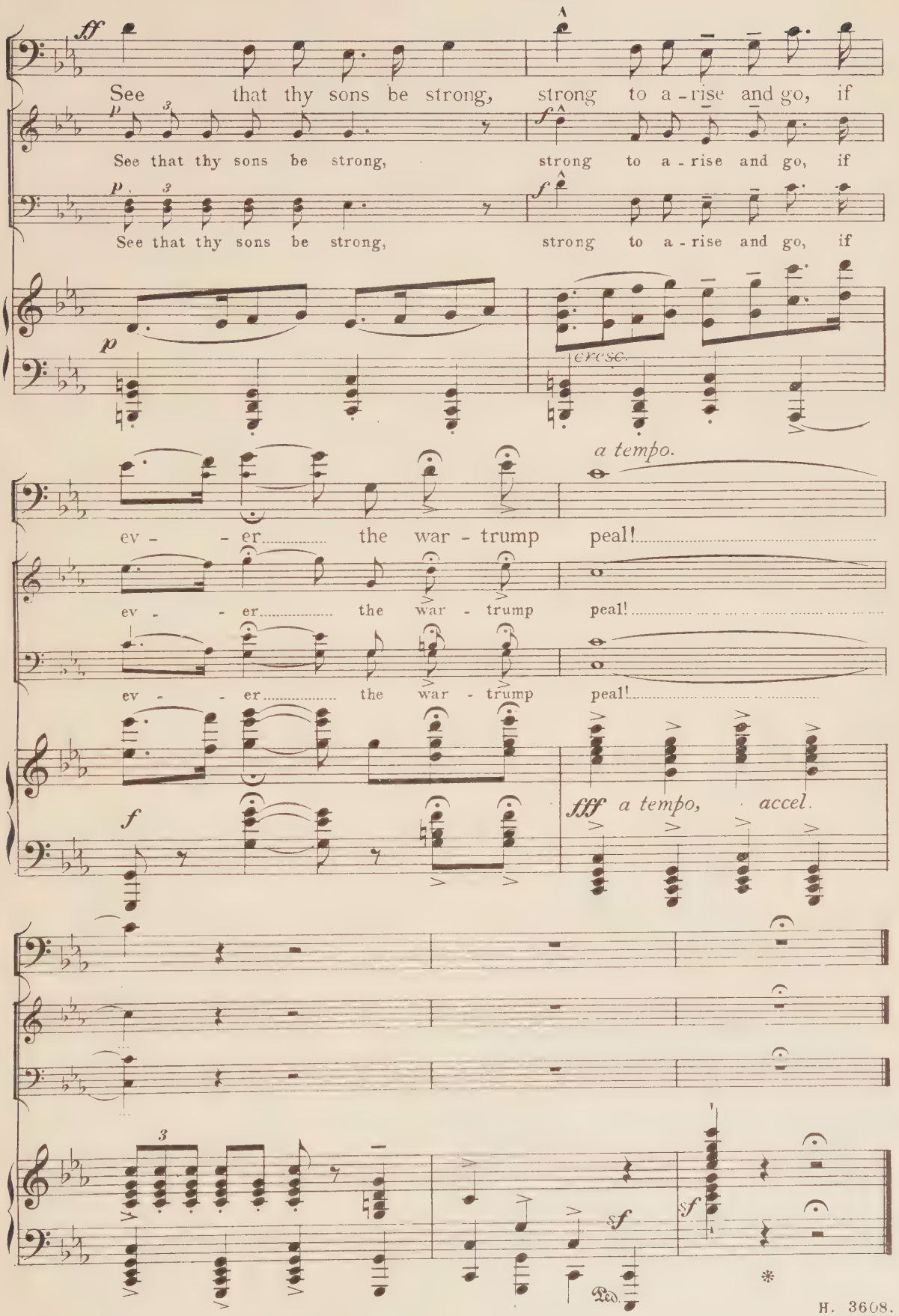

33
p
33
allargando.
Recit (ad lib.)
a tempo.
ff
Bri-tain, ask of thy-self, and see that thy sons be strong,
sf colla parte.
p a tempo.
f
Strong to a-rise and go, if
mf
cresc.
See that thy sons be strong, strong to a-rise and go, if
See that thy sons be strong, strong to a-rise and go, if
ten.


ev - - er..... the war - trump peal;
ev - - er..... the war - trump peal;
ev - - er..... the war - trump peal;
34
See that thy squad-rons haste, when loos'd are the hounds of hell;—
34
Then shall the eye flash fire, and the va-lor-ous heart grow light,....
Then shall the eye flash fire, and the va-lor-ous heart grow light,....

35
p
Un - der the drift - ing smoke, and the
Un - der the drift - ing smoke, and the
35
p
con Ped.
scream of the fly - ing shell, When the hill - side his - ses..... with
scream of the fly - ing shell, When the hill - side his - ses..... with
ten
sonoramente.
cresc.
death,— and nev-er..... a foe in sight.
death,— and nev-er..... a foe in sight.
cresc.


allargando.
ff
Bri - tain, ask of thy - self, and see that thy sons be
ff
Bri - tain, ask of thy - self, and see that thy sons be
8
sf allargando. sf
36
a tempo.
f sostenuto.
So shalt thou rest in peace, en - thron'd in thine
strong.
strong
36
a tempo.
3
sf p
sf
is - - - land home,
ff sostenuto.
So shalt thou
ff sostenuto.
So shalt thou
f
ffz

ff
En - thron'd in thine
rest in peace,
En - thron'd in thine
rest in peace,
En - thron'd in thine
sf
sf
37 cantabile.
ff
is - - land home, So shalt thou rest in
ff cantabile.
is - - land home, So shalt thou rest in
ff cantabile.
is - - land home, So shalt thou rest in
37
sf
accel.
peace, en - thron'd in thine is - land home.
peace, en - thron'd in thine is - land home.
peace, en - thron'd in thine is - land home.
accel.
sf

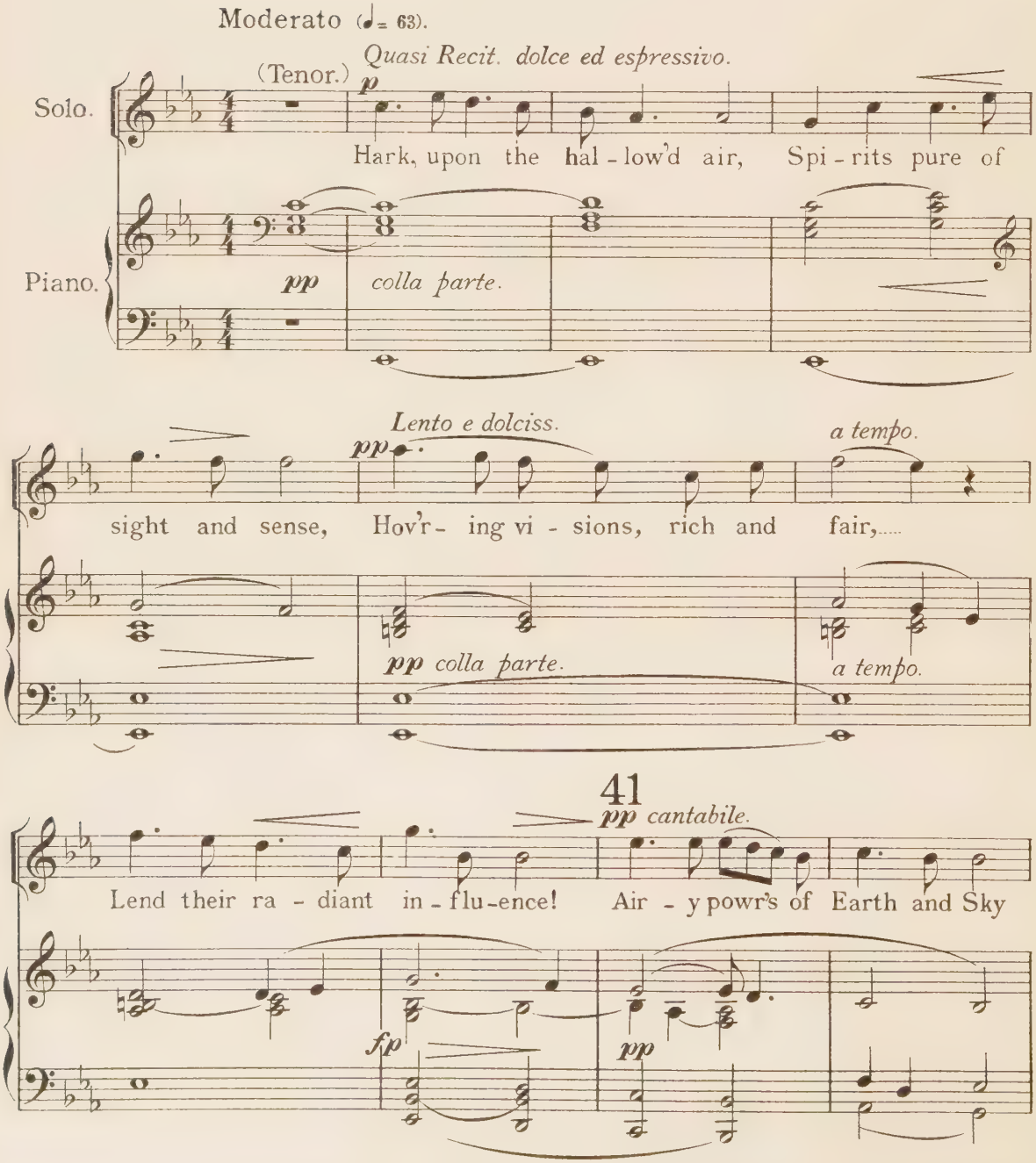
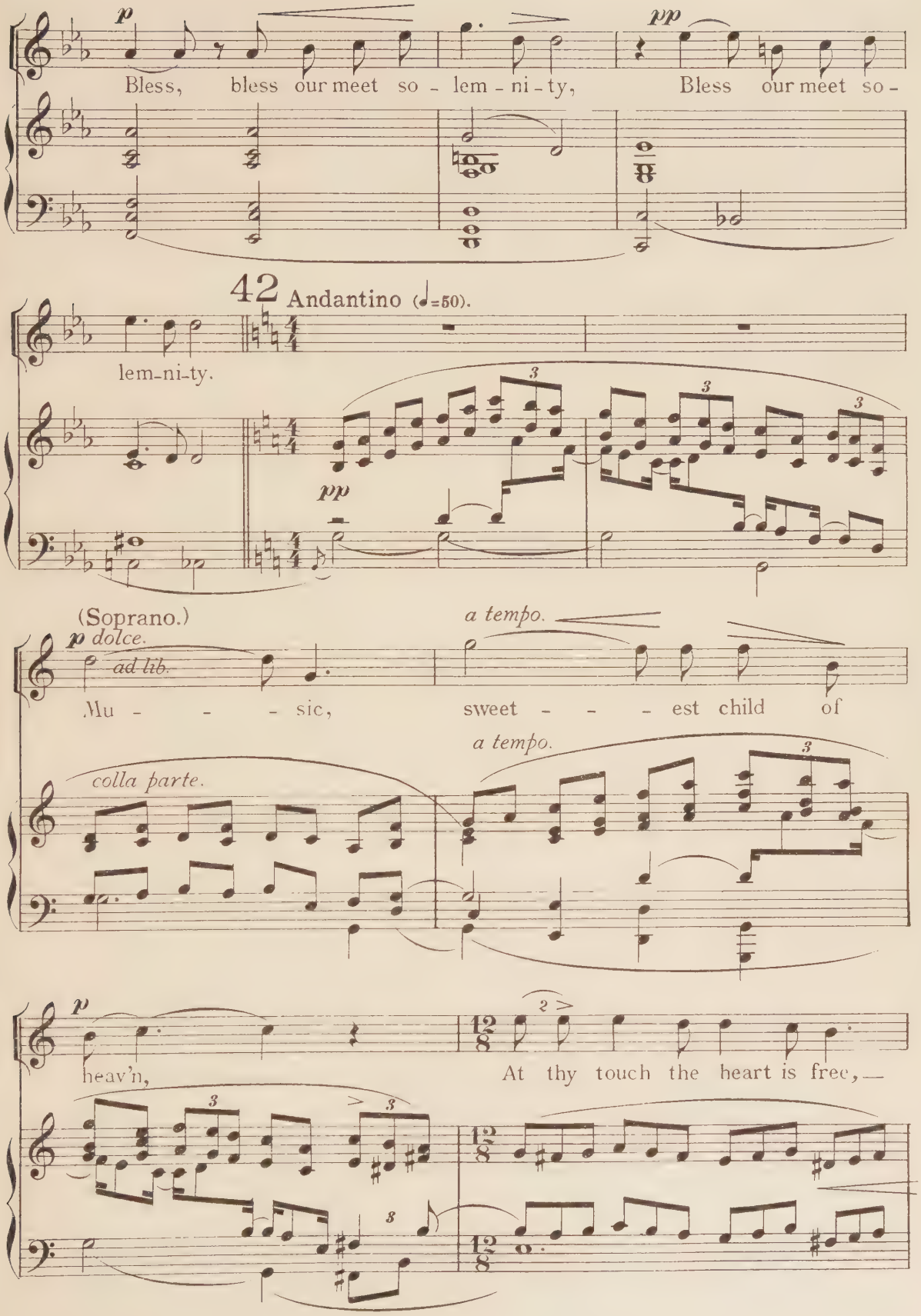
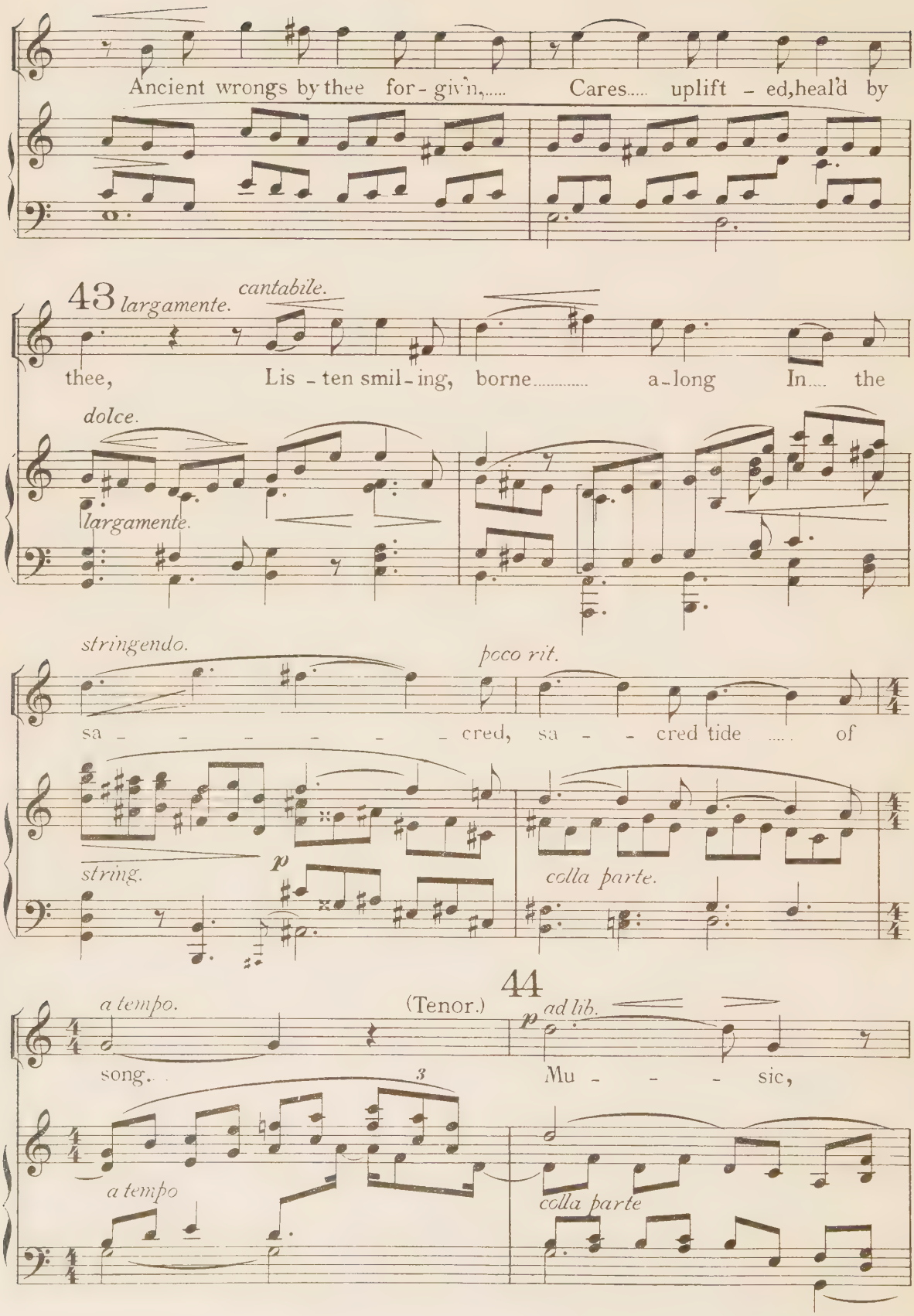

38
Recit.
mf
cresc.
Bri-tain, ask of thy - self,
and
p ma marcato.
Bri - tain, ask of thy - self,
p
Bri - tain, ask of thy - self,
38
Poco più lento.
pp colla parte.
accel.
see that thy sons be strong!
accel.
f
see that thy sons be strong!
accel.
see that thy sons be strong!
accel.
f
39
a tempo.
Strong to a - rise, a - rise and go,
Strong to a - rise, a - rise and
Strong to a - rise, a - rise and
39
sf a tempo.

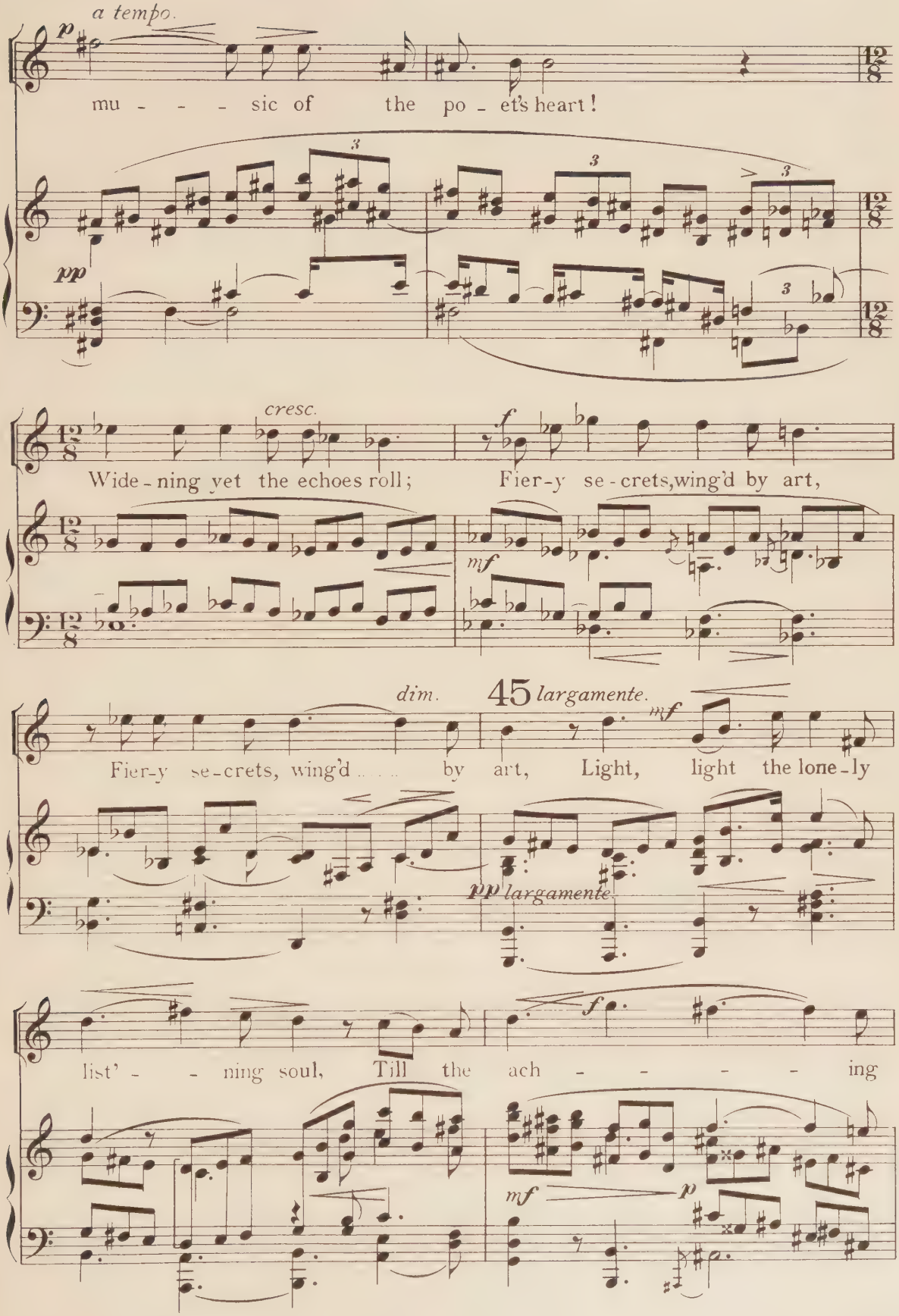
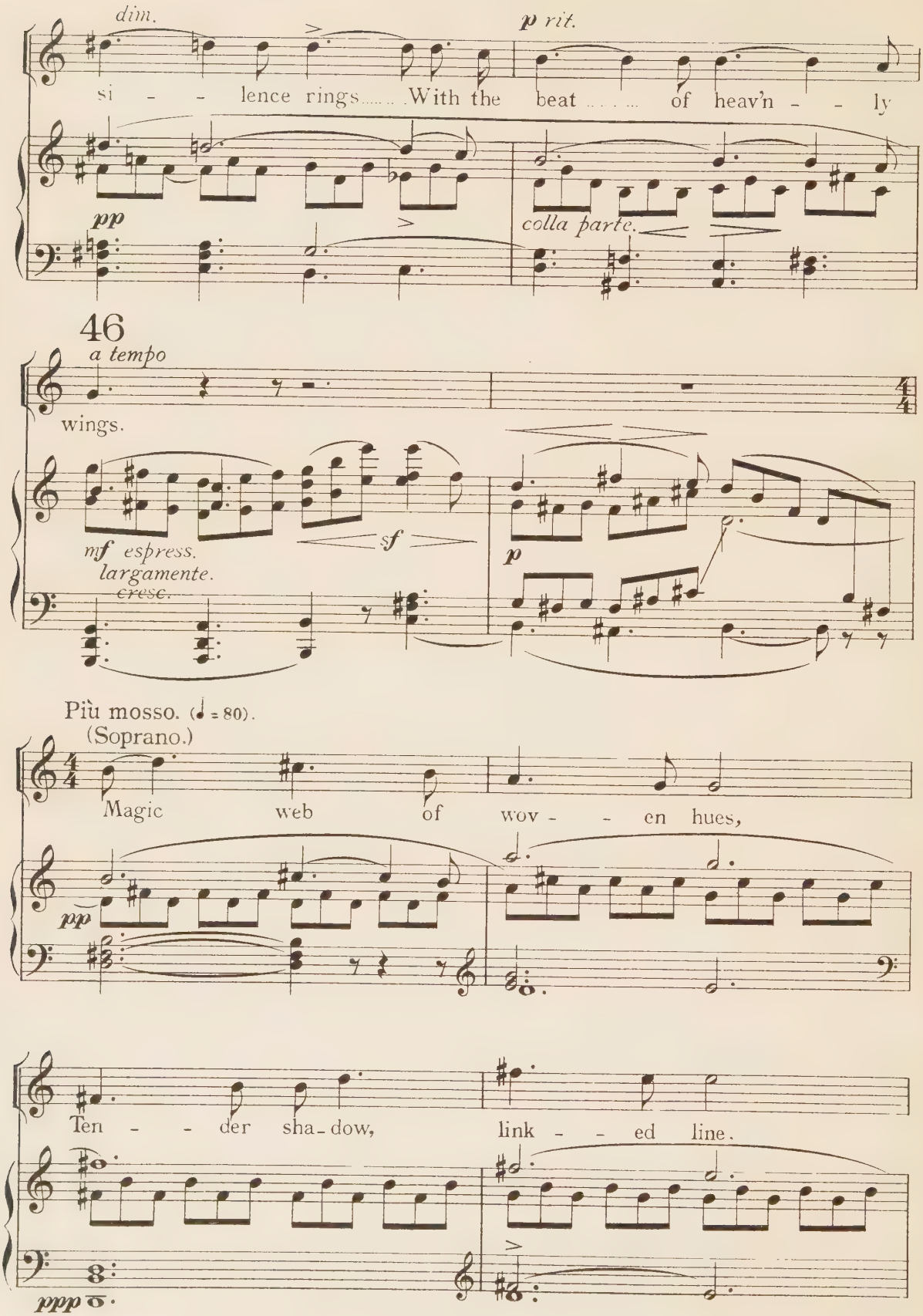

con fuoco.
ff
see that thy sons
go, see that thy sons
go, see that thy sons
ff
fp
cresc.
rit.
be strong, thy sons be
be strong, thy sons be
be strong, thy sons be
rit.
40
a tempo.
strong.
a tempo
strong.
strong.
40
fff
a tempo.


ff
See that thy sons be strong, strong to a - rise and go, if
A
p
See that thy sons be strong, strong to a - rise and go, if
f
p
See that thy sons be strong, strong to a - rise and go, if
f
p
cresc.
a tempo.
ev - - er the war - trump peal!
ev - - er the war - trump peal!
ev - - er the war - trump peal!
f
fff a tempo, accel.
3
sf
sf
Ped.
*

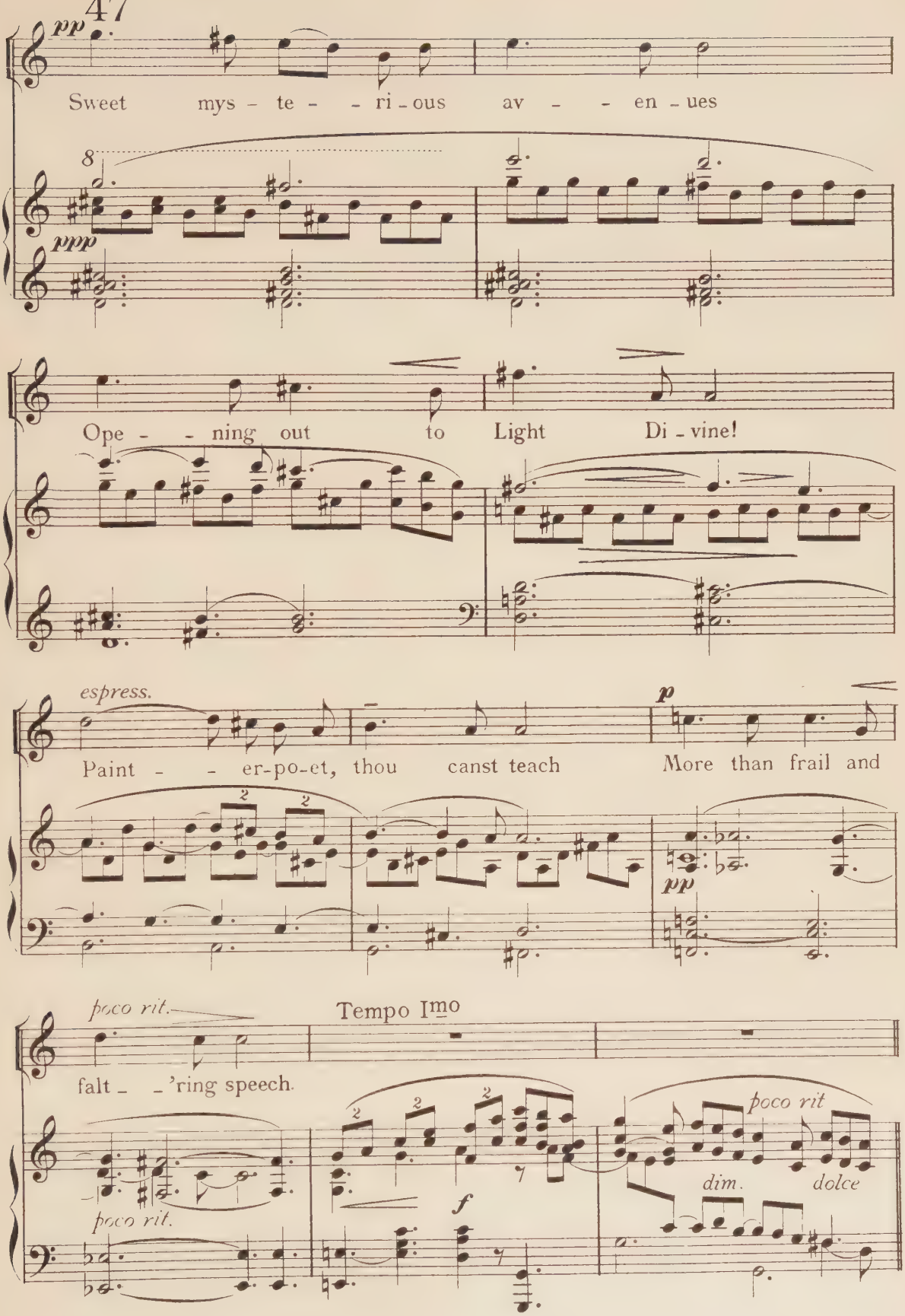
IV.

HARK, UPON THE HALLOWED AIR.

Soli, *(Soprano and Tenor).*


p
Bless, bless our meet so - lem - ni - ty,
pp
Bless our meet so -
42 Andantino (♩=50).
lem-ni-ty.
pp
(Soprano.)
p dolce.
ad lib.
a tempo.
Mu - - - sic,
sweet - - - est child of
colla parte.
a tempo.
p
heav'n,
At thy touch the heart is free,

Ancient wrongs by thee for-giv'n,..... Cares..... uplift - ed, heal'd by
43
largamente.
cantabile.
thee, Lis - ten smil - ing, borne..... a - long In.... the
dolce.
largamente.
stringendo.
poco rit.
sa - - - - - - cred, sa - - cred tide ..... of
string.
p
colla parte.
44
a tempo.
(Tenor.)
p
ad lib.
song.
3
Mu - - - sic,
a tempo
colla parte


a tempo.
p
mu - - - sic of the po - et's heart!
pp
cresc.
Wide - ning yet the echoes roll;
f
Fier-y se - crets, wing'd by art,
mf
dim.
45
largamente.
mf
Fier-y se-crets, wing'd by art, Light, light the lone-ly
pp largamente.
list' - - ning soul, Till the ach - - - - - ing
f
mf
p

dim.
p rit.
si - - - lence rings..... With the beat ..... of heav'n - - ly
pp
colla parte.
46
a tempo
wings.
mf espress.
largamente.
cresc.
sf
p
Più mosso. (♩ = 80).
(Soprano.)
Magic web of wov - - en hues,
pp
Ten - - der sha-dow, link - - ed line.
ppp

47


pp
Sweet mys - te - - ri - ous av - - en - ues
8
ppp
Ope - - ning out to Light Di - vine!
espress.
Paint - - er-po-et, thou canst teach
p
More than frail and
pp
poco rit.
Tempo Imo
falt - - 'ring speech.
poco rit.
f
poco rit
dim.
dolce

ONLY LET THE HEART BE PURE.

Quartet.

48

Più lento. (♩.=40).

Soprano.

Contralto.

p dolce.

Tenor.

On - ly let the heart be pure, Pure in stead-fast in-no-cence,

pp

Bass.

48

Più lento.

pp

Ped. * Ped. *

mf

Stainless hon - our, strong and sure, Stem the ar-dent tide of

p

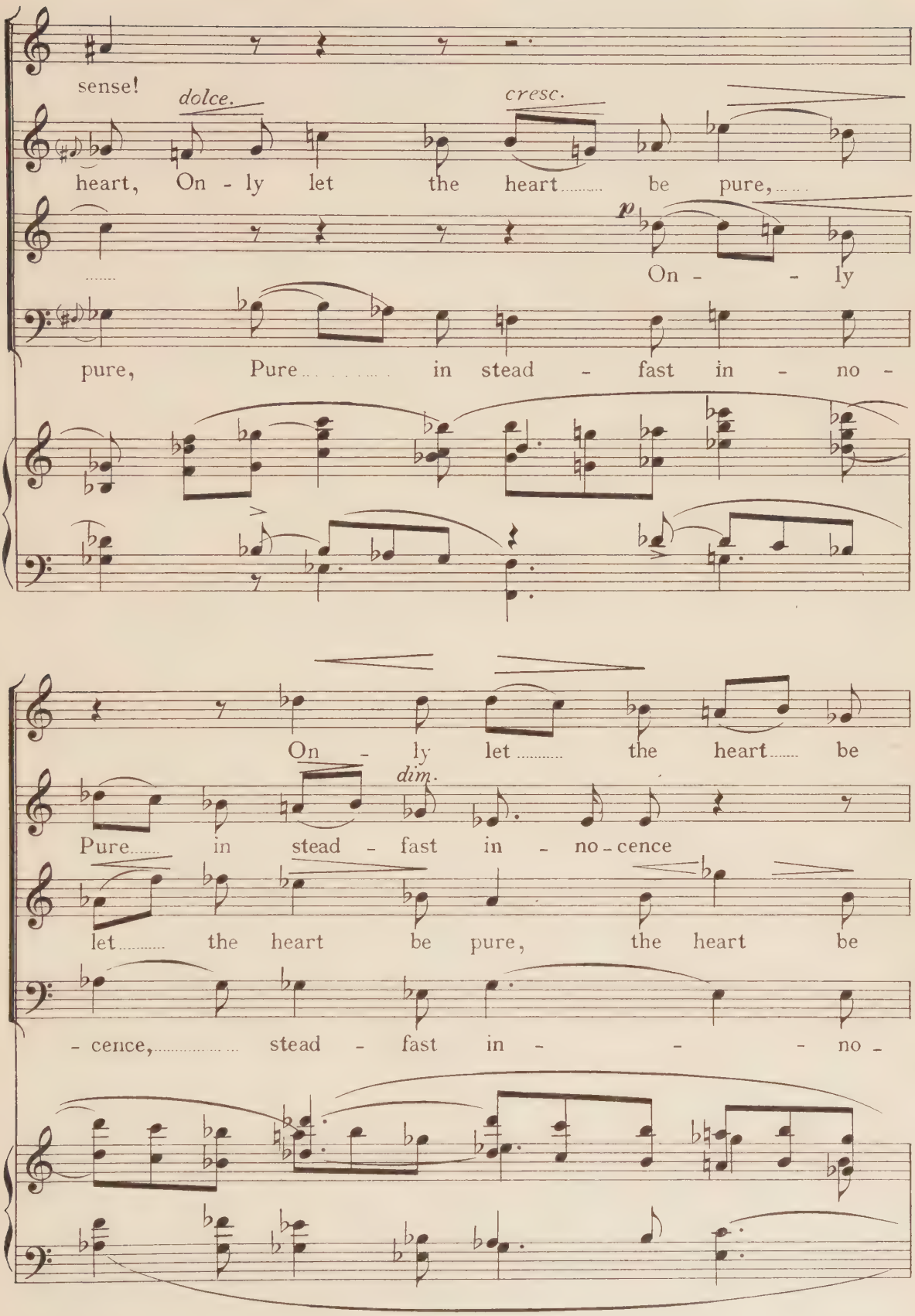
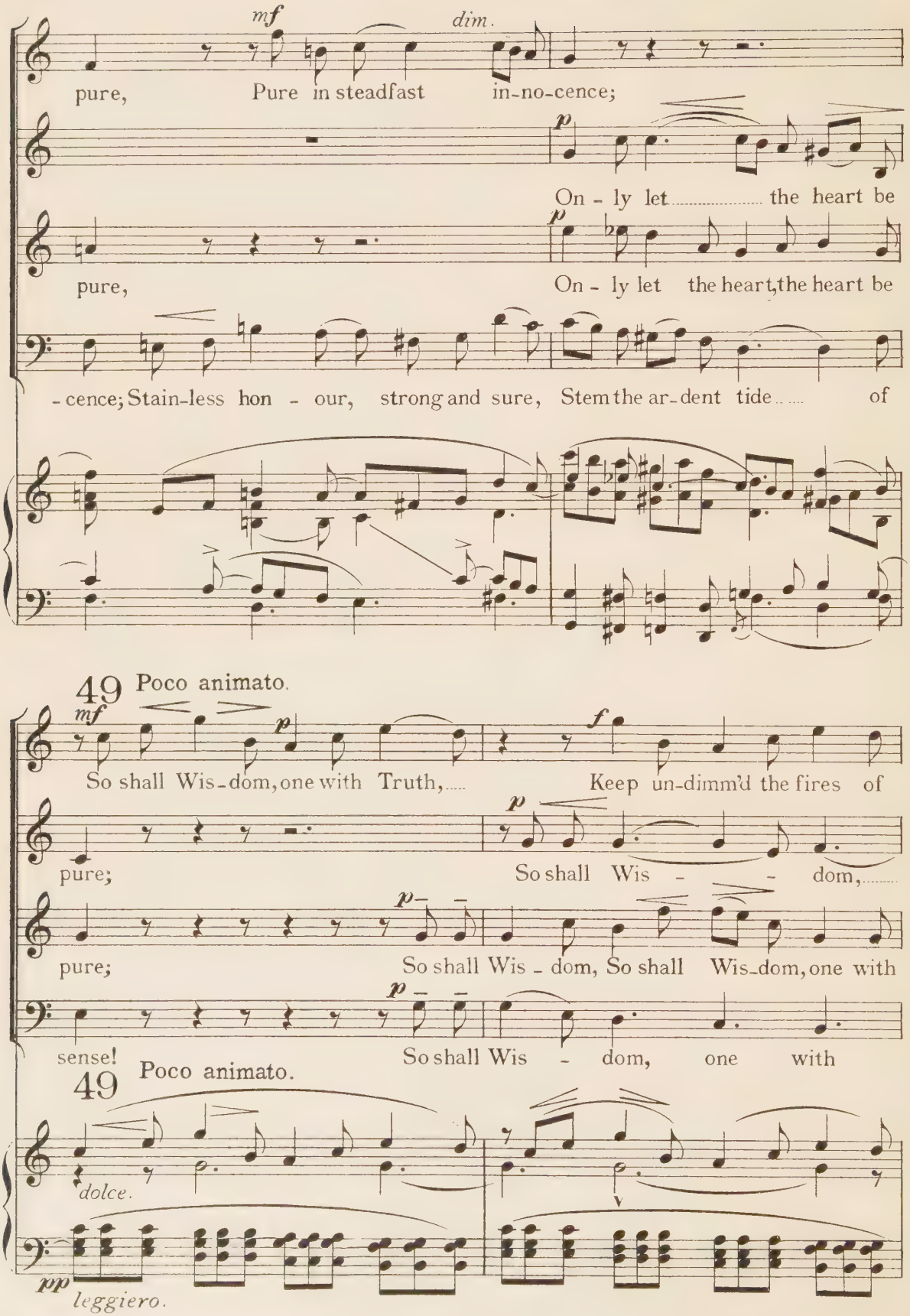
On - ly let the

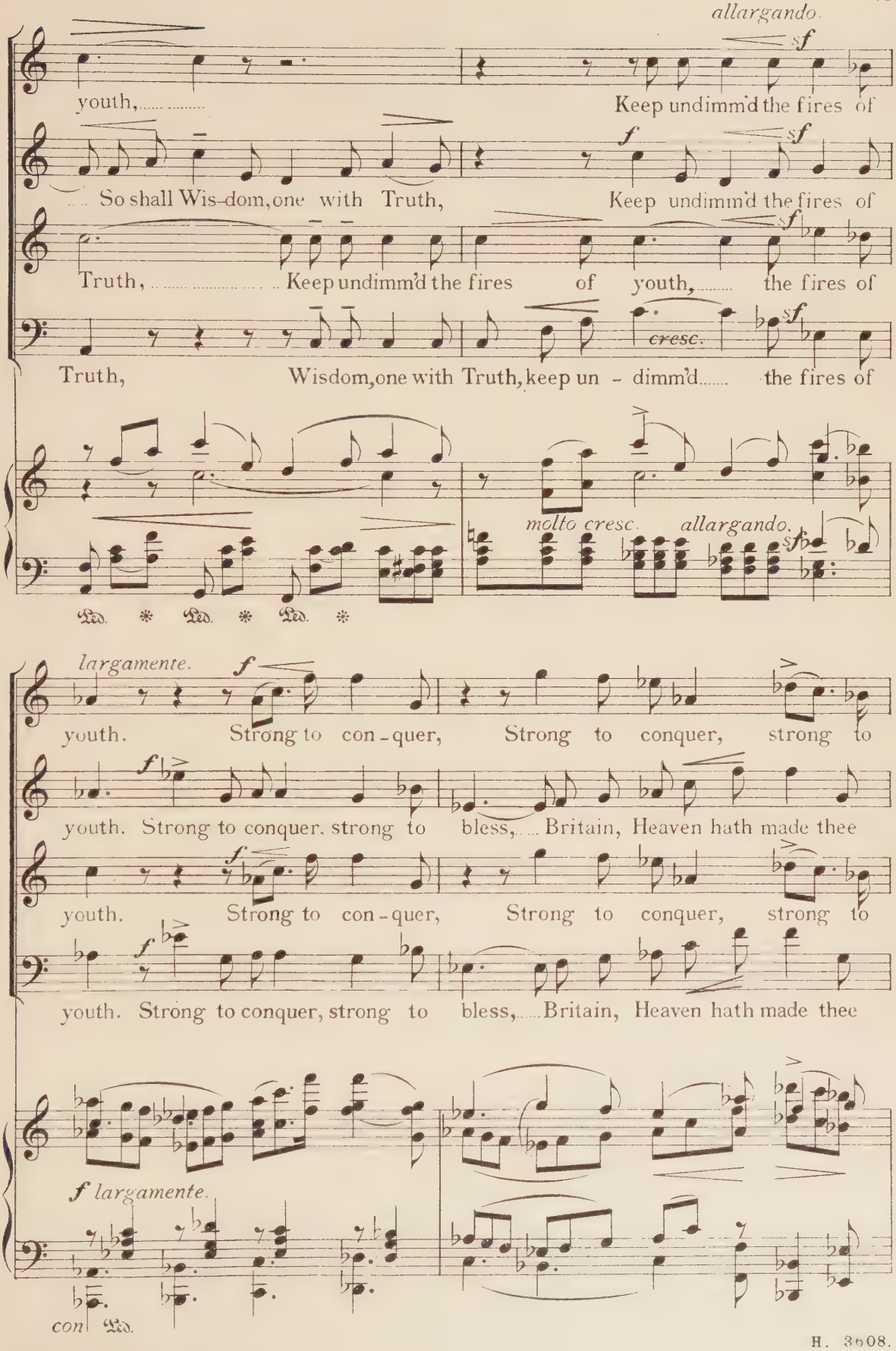
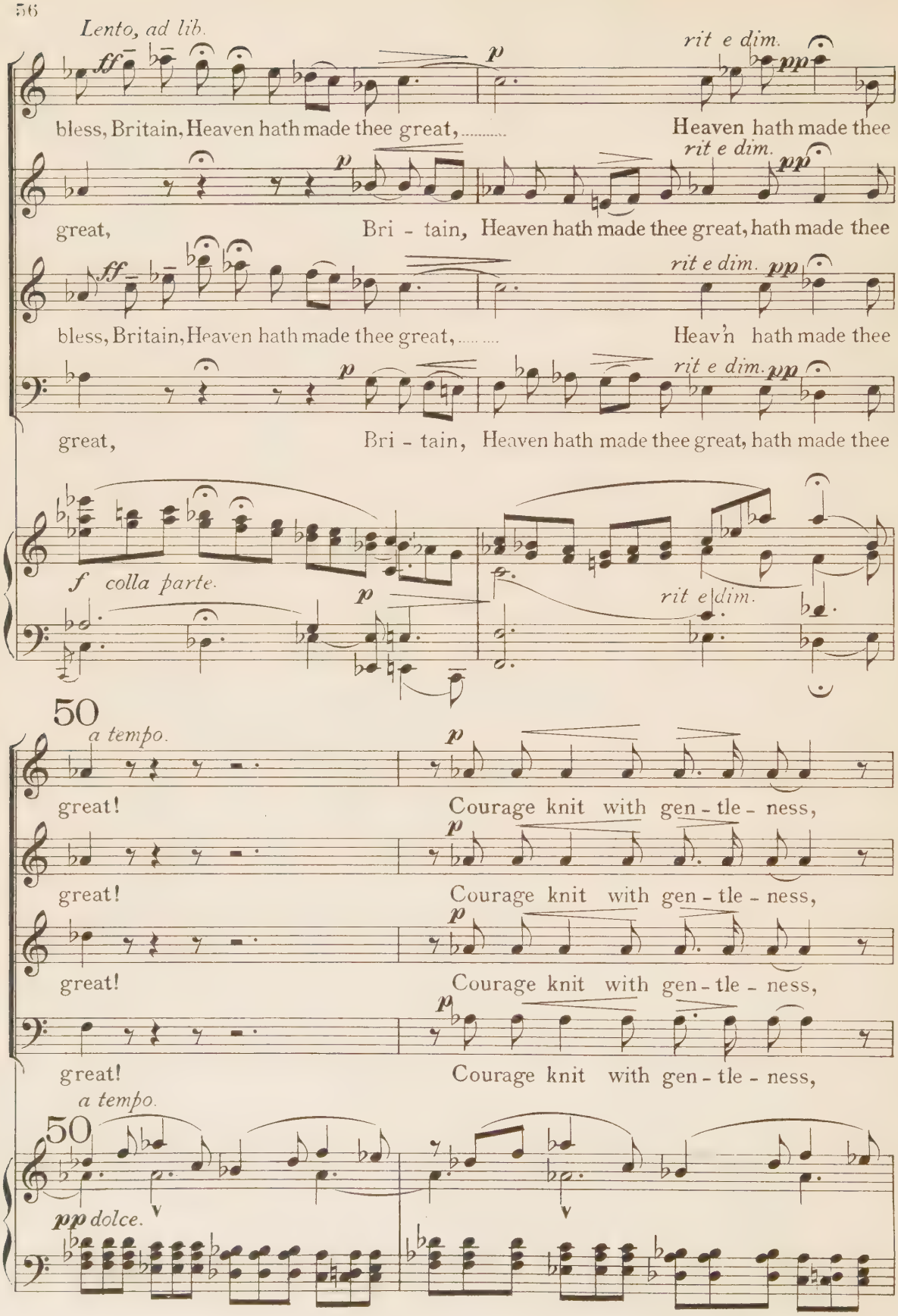
p

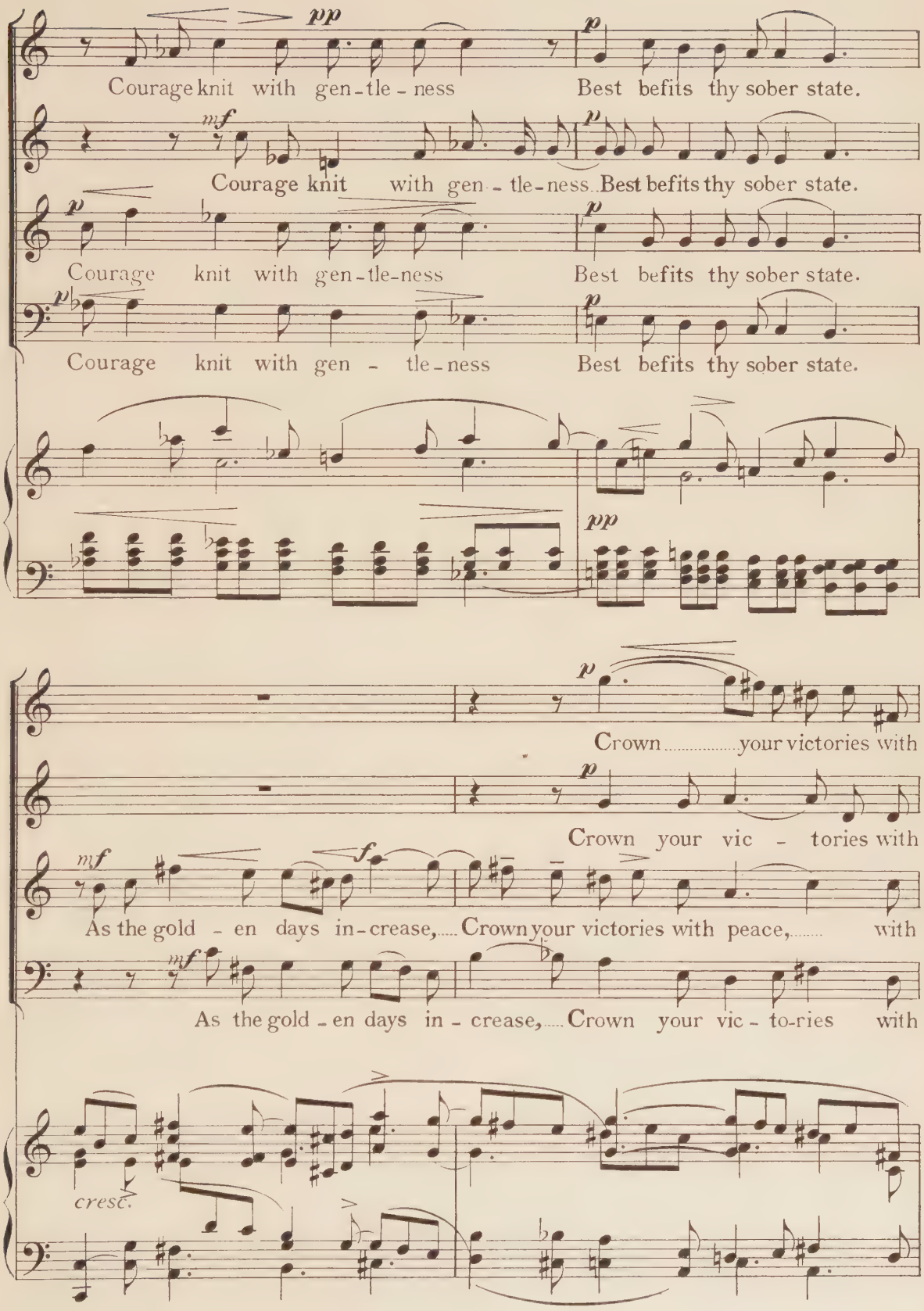
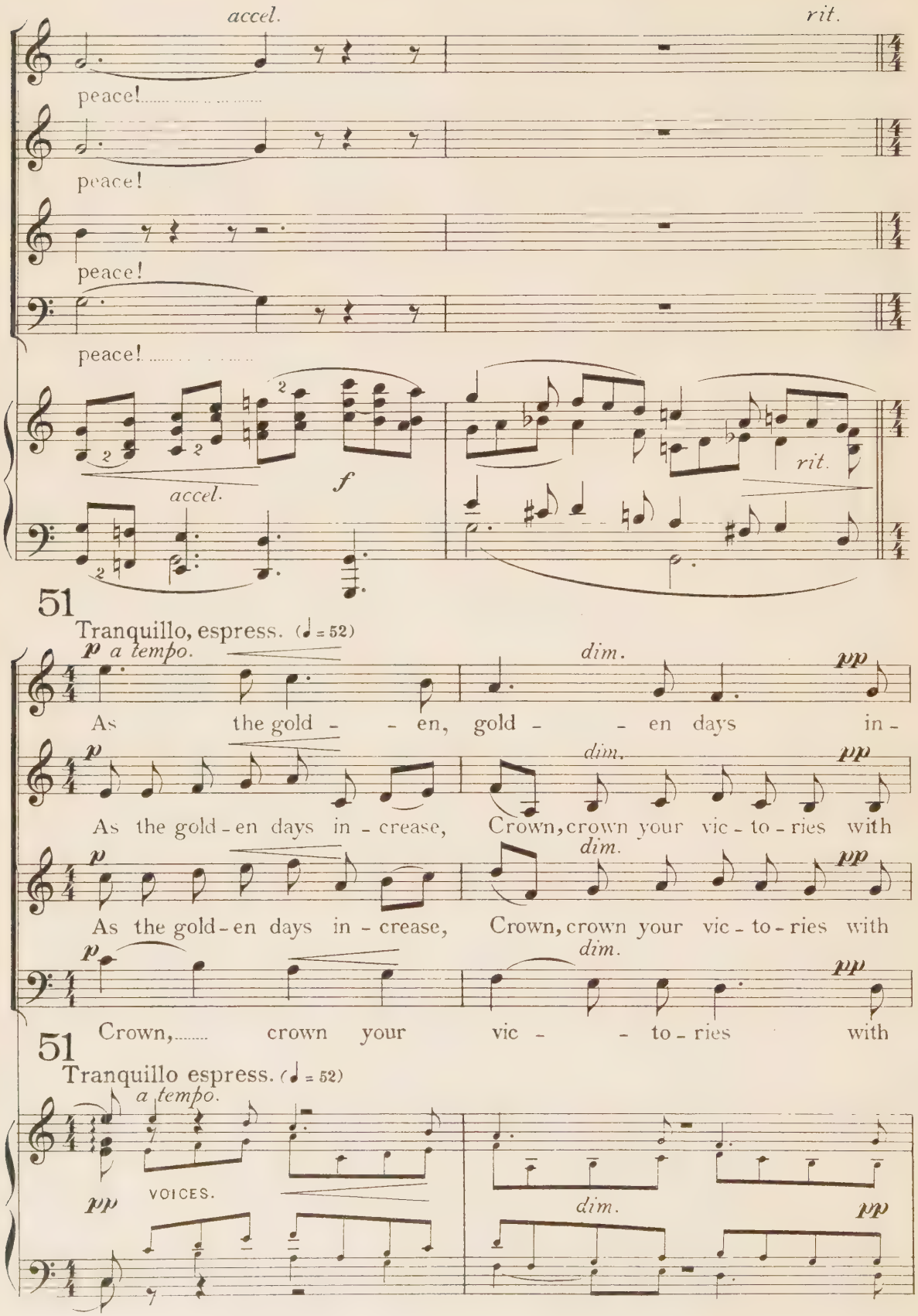
Stainless hon - our stem the ar-dent tide of sense!

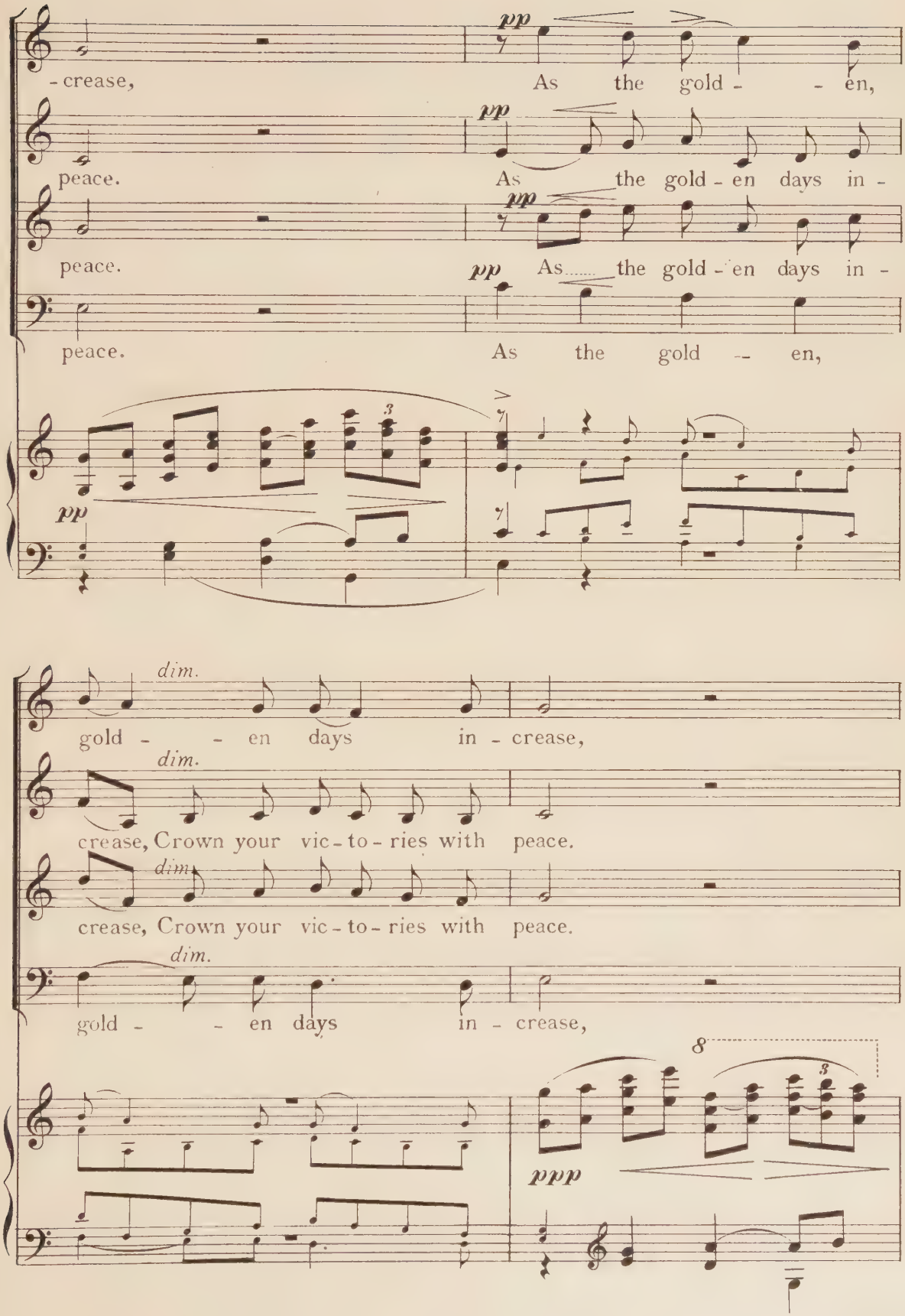
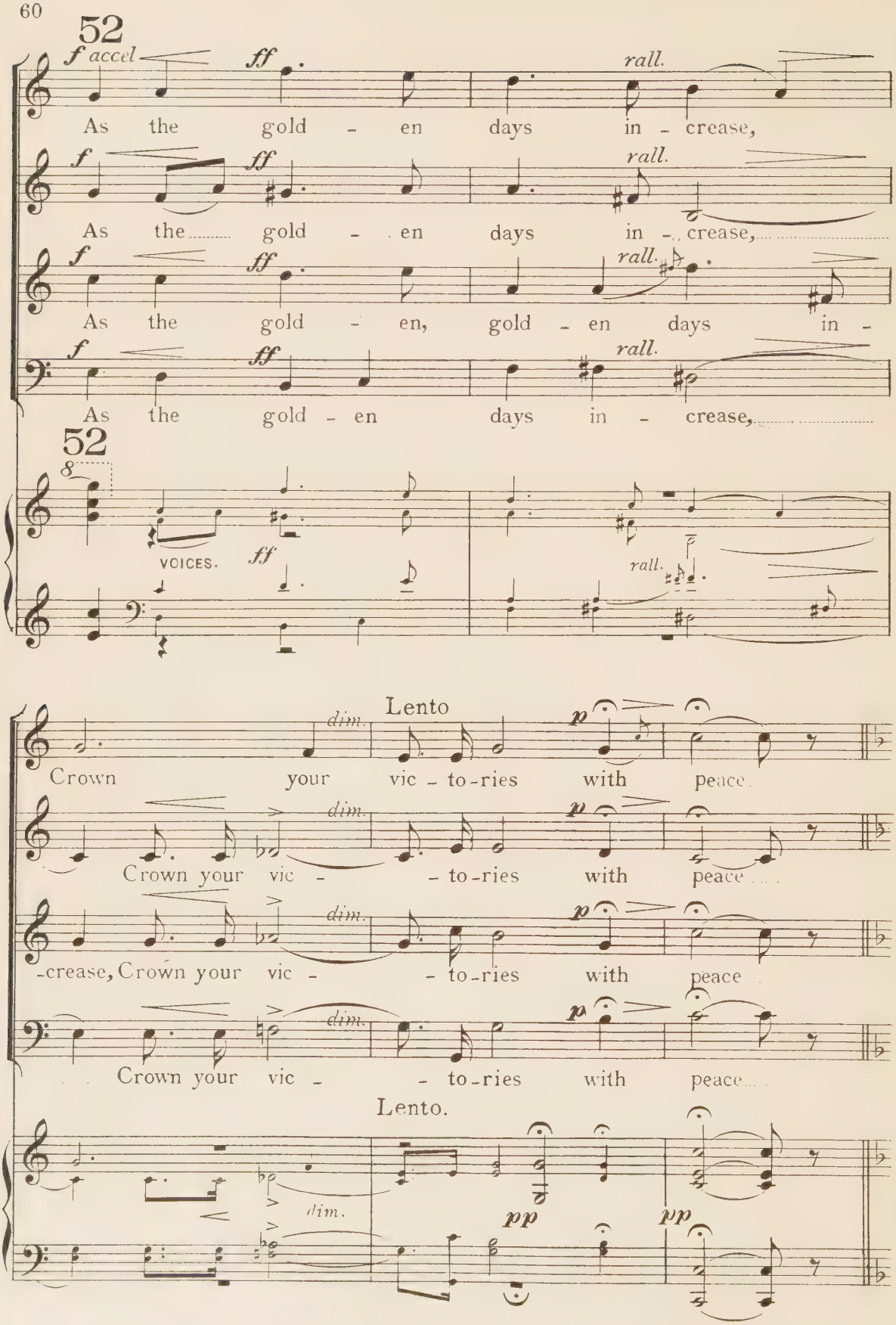
p

On - ly let the heart, the heart be


sense!
dolce.
cresc.
heart, On - ly let the heart be pure,
p
On - - ly
pure, Pure in stead - fast in - no -
On - ly let the heart be
dim.
Pure in stead - fast in - no - cence
let the heart be pure, the heart be
- cence, stead - fast in - - - no -

mf
dim.
pure, Pure in steadfast in-no-cence;
p
On - ly let the heart be
p
pure,
On - ly let the heart, the heart be
- cence; Stain-less hon - our, strong and sure, Stem the ar-dent tide of
49
Poco animato.
mf
p
So shall Wis-dom, one with Truth,
f
Keep un-dimm'd the fires of
pure;
p
So shall Wis - dom,
pure;
p
So shall Wis - dom, So shall Wis-dom, one with
sense!
p
So shall Wis - dom, one with
49
Poco animato.
dolce.
pp
leggiero.


allargando.
youth,
Keep undimm'd the fires of
So shall Wis-dom, one with Truth,
Keep undimm'd the fires of
Truth,
Keep undimm'd the fires of youth,
the fires of
Truth,
Wisdom, one with Truth, keep un - dimm'd
the fires of
molto cresc.
allargando.
largamente.
youth.
Strong to con - quer,
Strong to conquer,
strong to
youth. Strong to conquer, strong to
bless,
Britain, Heaven hath made thee
youth.
Strong to con - quer,
Strong to conquer,
strong to
youth. Strong to conquer, strong to
bless,
Britain, Heaven hath made thee
f largamente.
con

Lento, ad lib.
ff
p
rit e dim.
pp
bless, Britain, Heaven hath made thee great,
Heaven hath made thee
great,
Bri - tain, Heaven hath made thee great, hath made thee
bless, Britain, Heaven hath made thee great,
Heav'n hath made thee
great,
Bri - tain, Heaven hath made thee great, hath made thee
f colla parte.
rit e dim.
50
a tempo.
great!
Courage knit with gen - tle - ness,
great!
Courage knit with gen - tle - ness,
great!
Courage knit with gen - tle - ness,
great!
Courage knit with gen - tle - ness,
a tempo.
50
pp dolce.

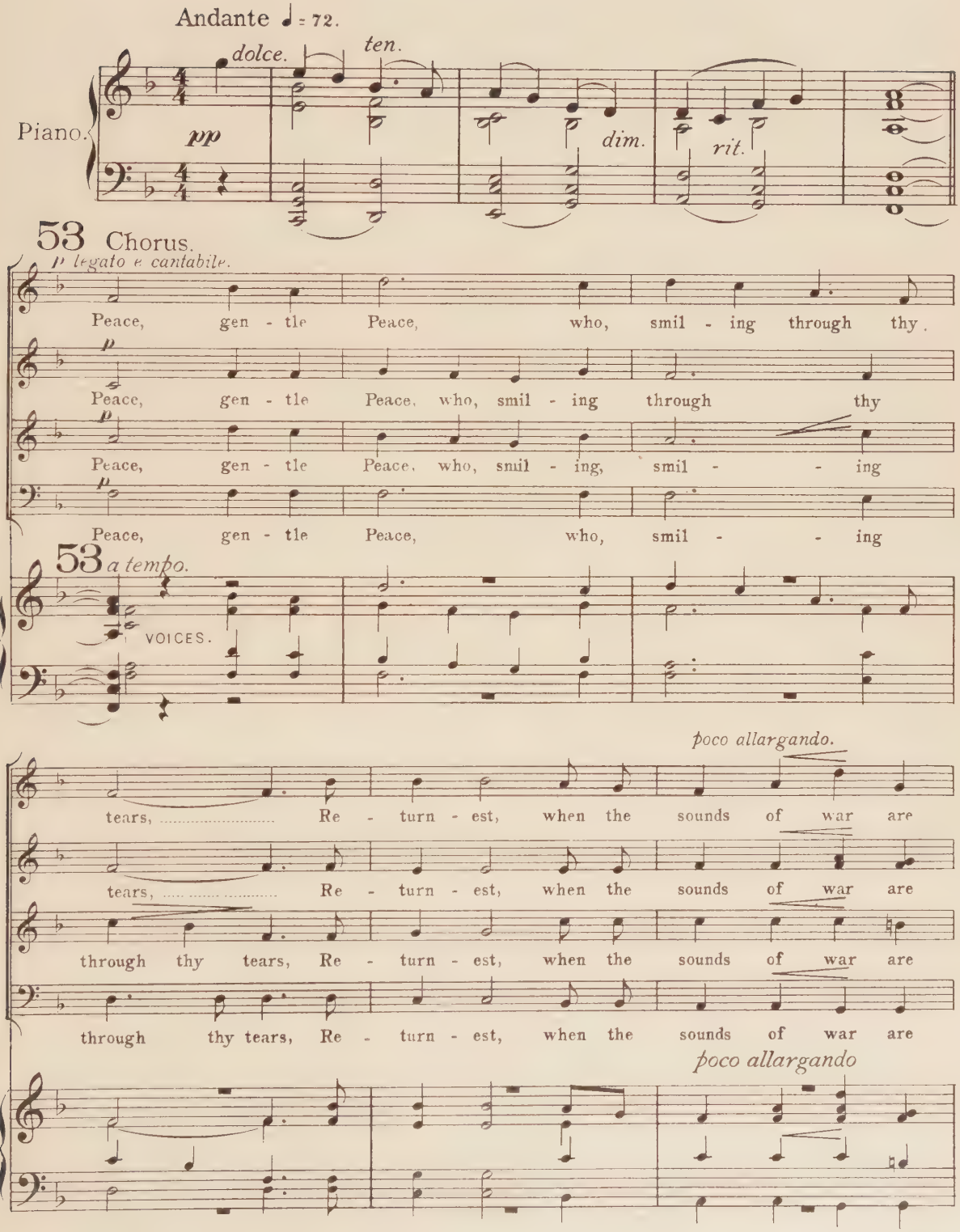
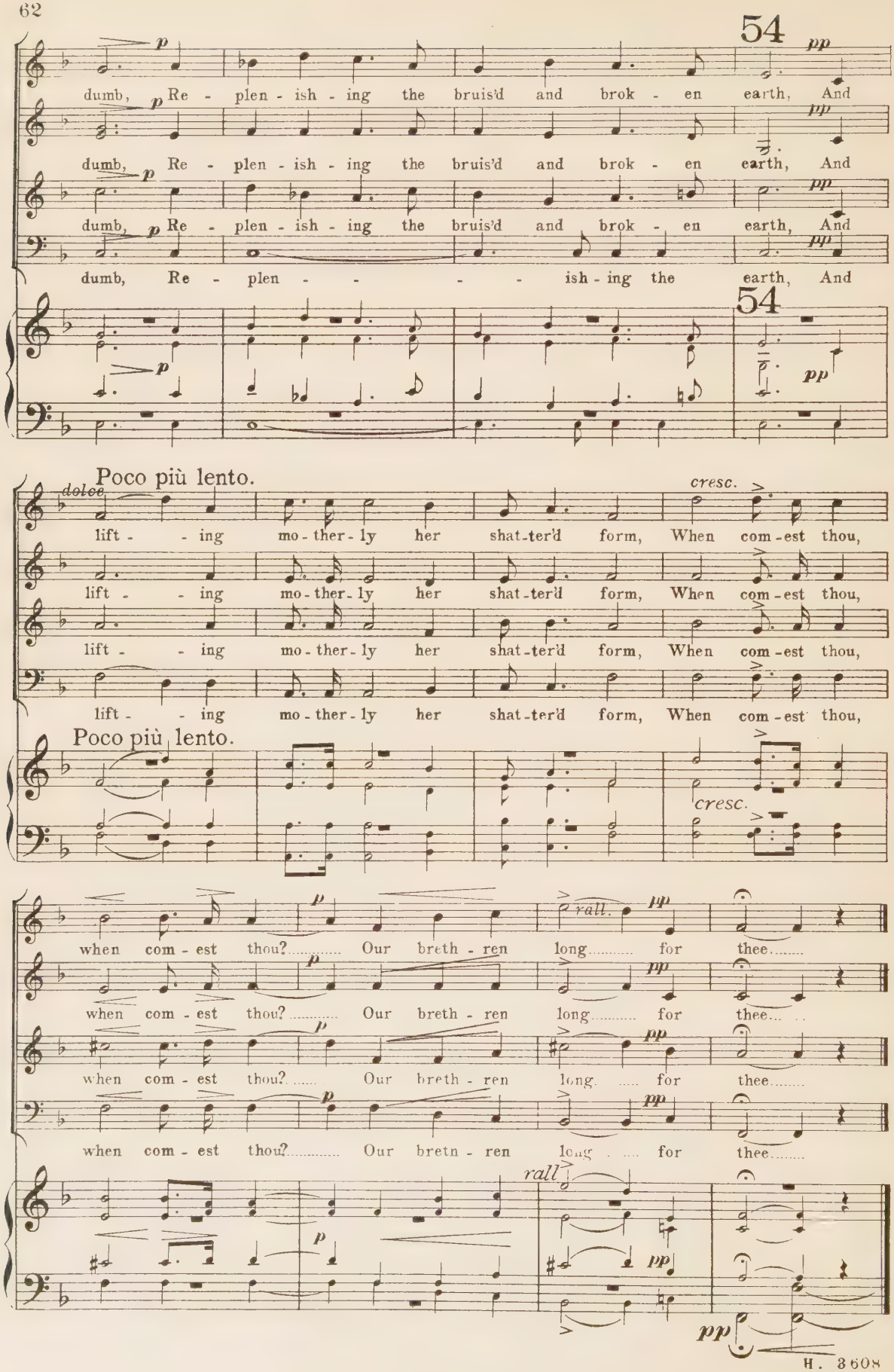
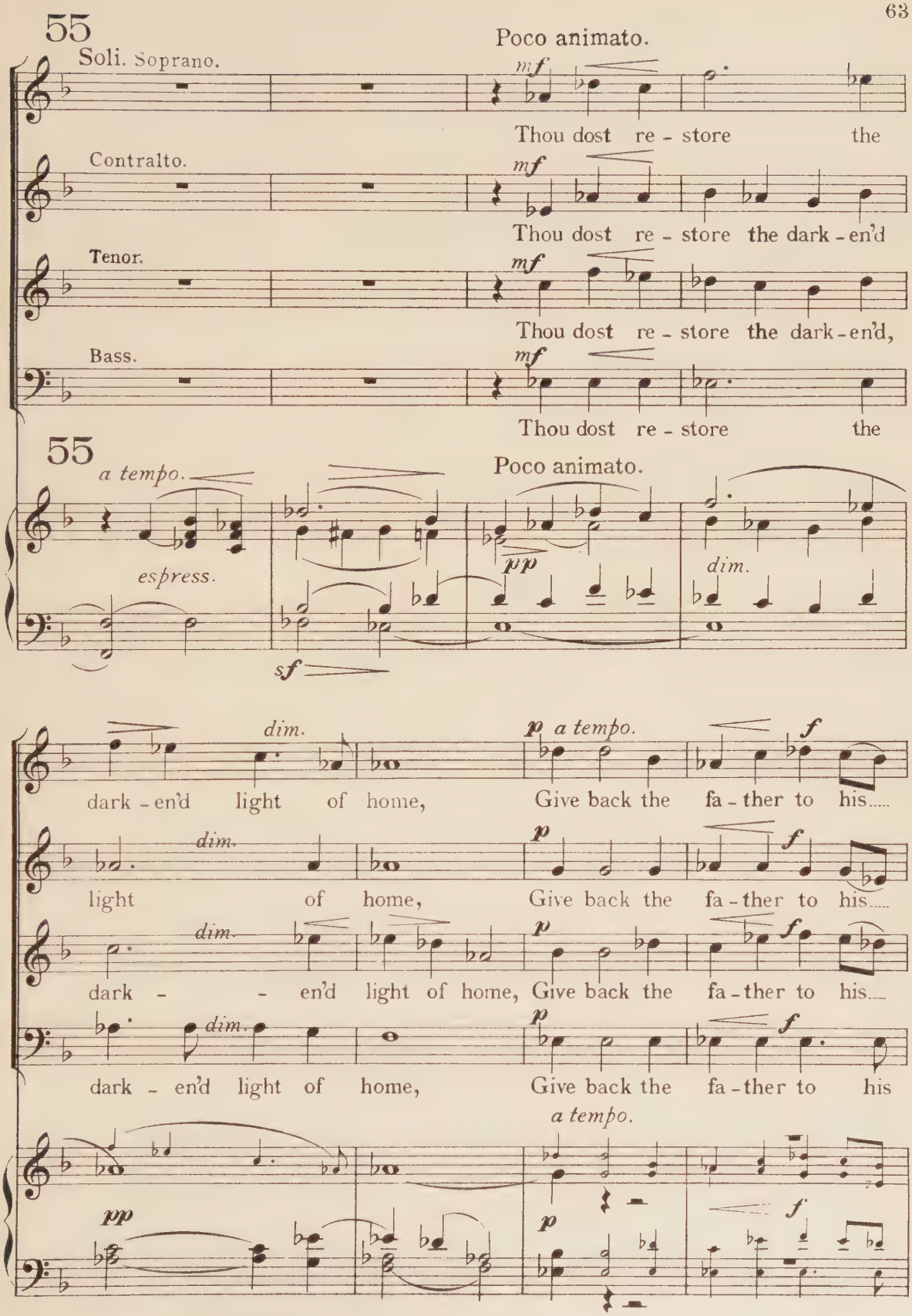
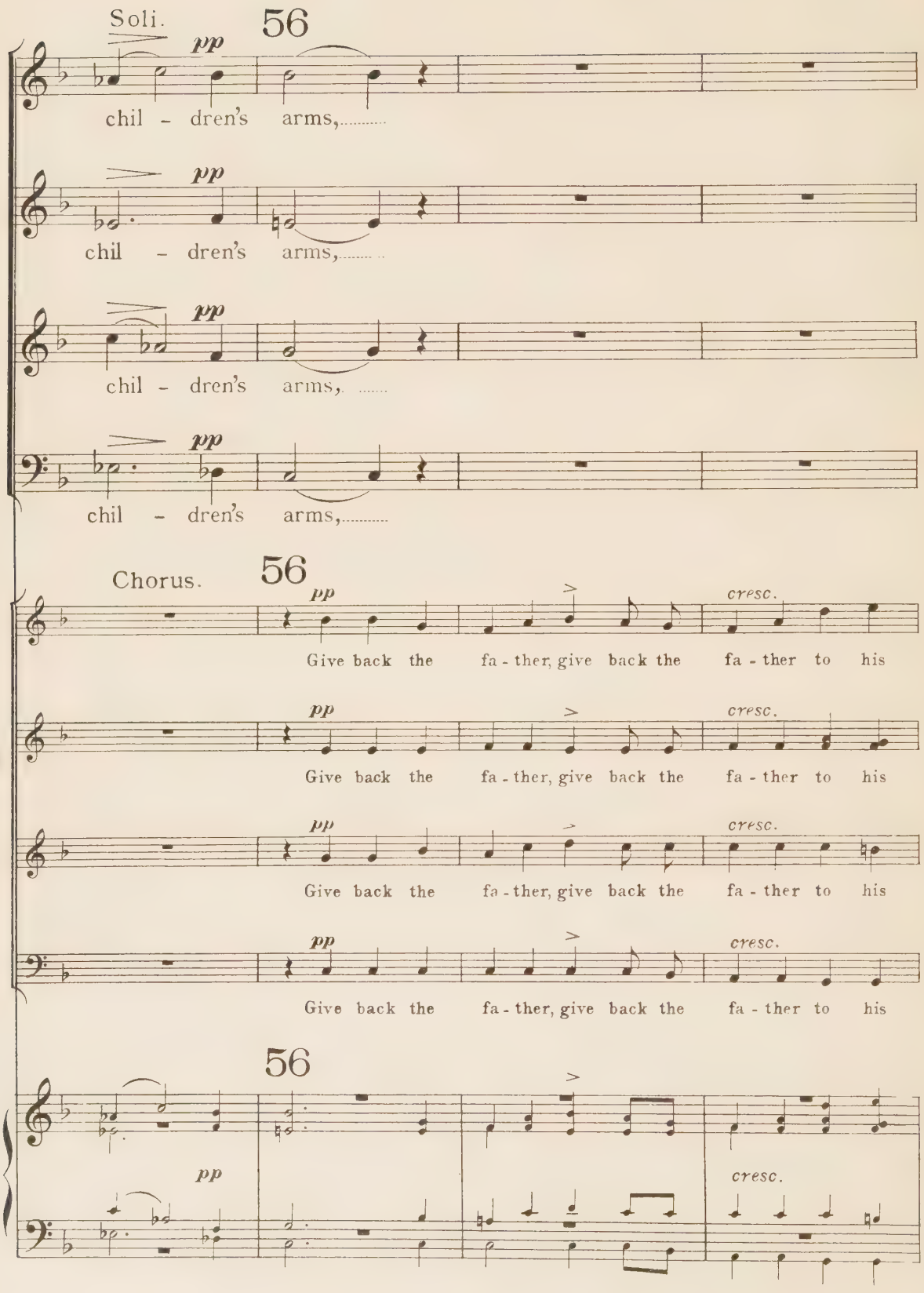

pp
Courage knit with gen-tle-ness
p
Best befits thy sober state.
mf
Courage knit with gen-tle-ness
p
Best befits thy sober state.
p
Courage knit with gen-tle-ness
p
Best befits thy sober state.
Courage knit with gen-tle-ness
p
Best befits thy sober state.
pp
p
Crown your victories with
p
Crown your vic-tories with
mf
As the gold-en days in-crease,
f
Crown your victories with peace,
with
mf
As the gold-en days in-crease,
Crown your vic-to-ries with
cresc.

accel.
rit.
peace!
peace!
peace!
peace!
accel.
f
rit.
51
Tranquillo, espress. (♩ = 52)
p a tempo.
dim.
pp
As the gold - - en, gold - - en days in -
As the gold - en days in - crease, Crown, crown your vic - to - ries with
As the gold - en days in - crease, Crown, crown your vic - to - ries with
Crown,..... crown your vic - - to - ries with
51
Tranquillo espress. (♩ = 52)
a tempo.
pp
VOICES.
dim.
pp

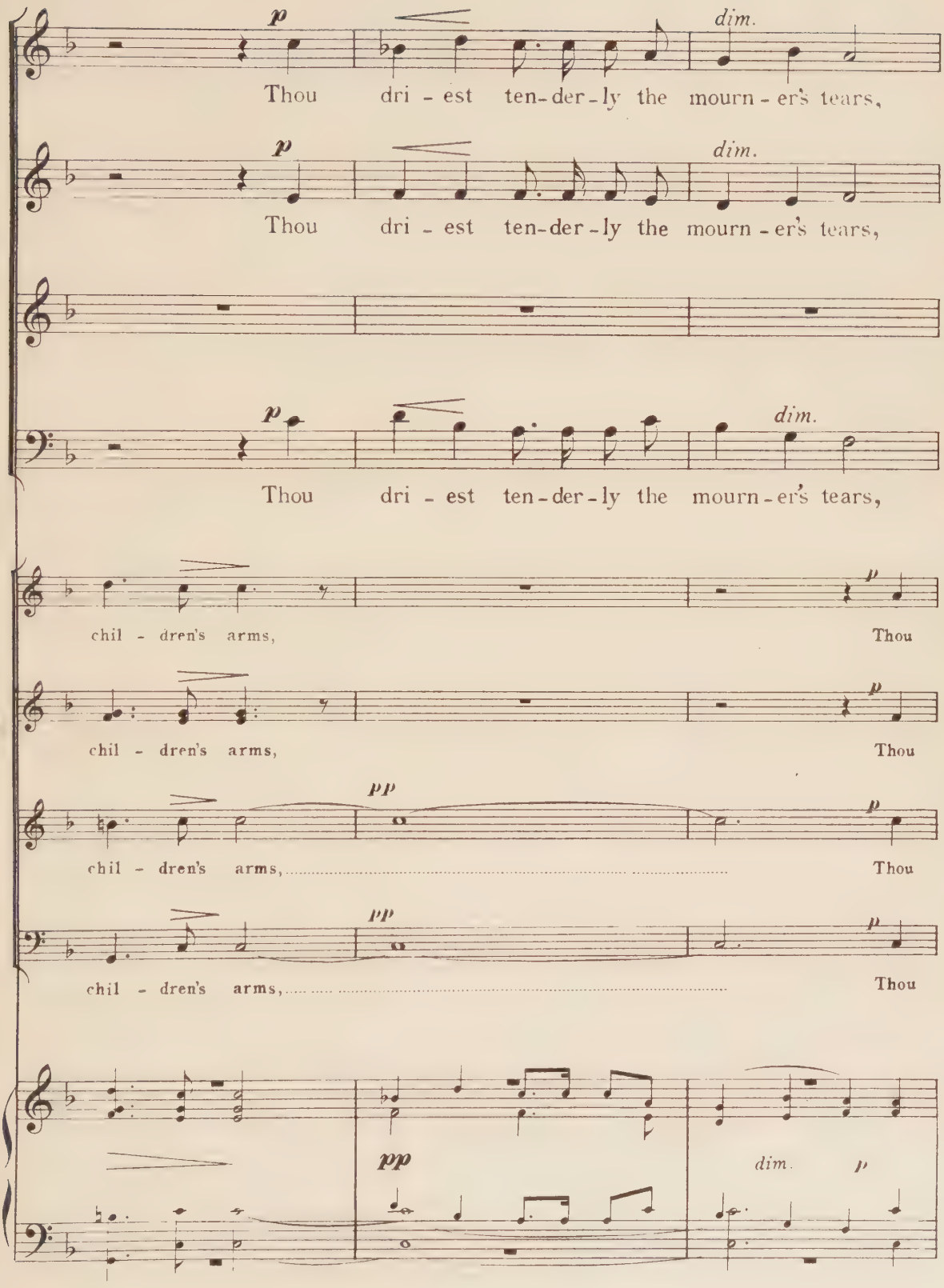
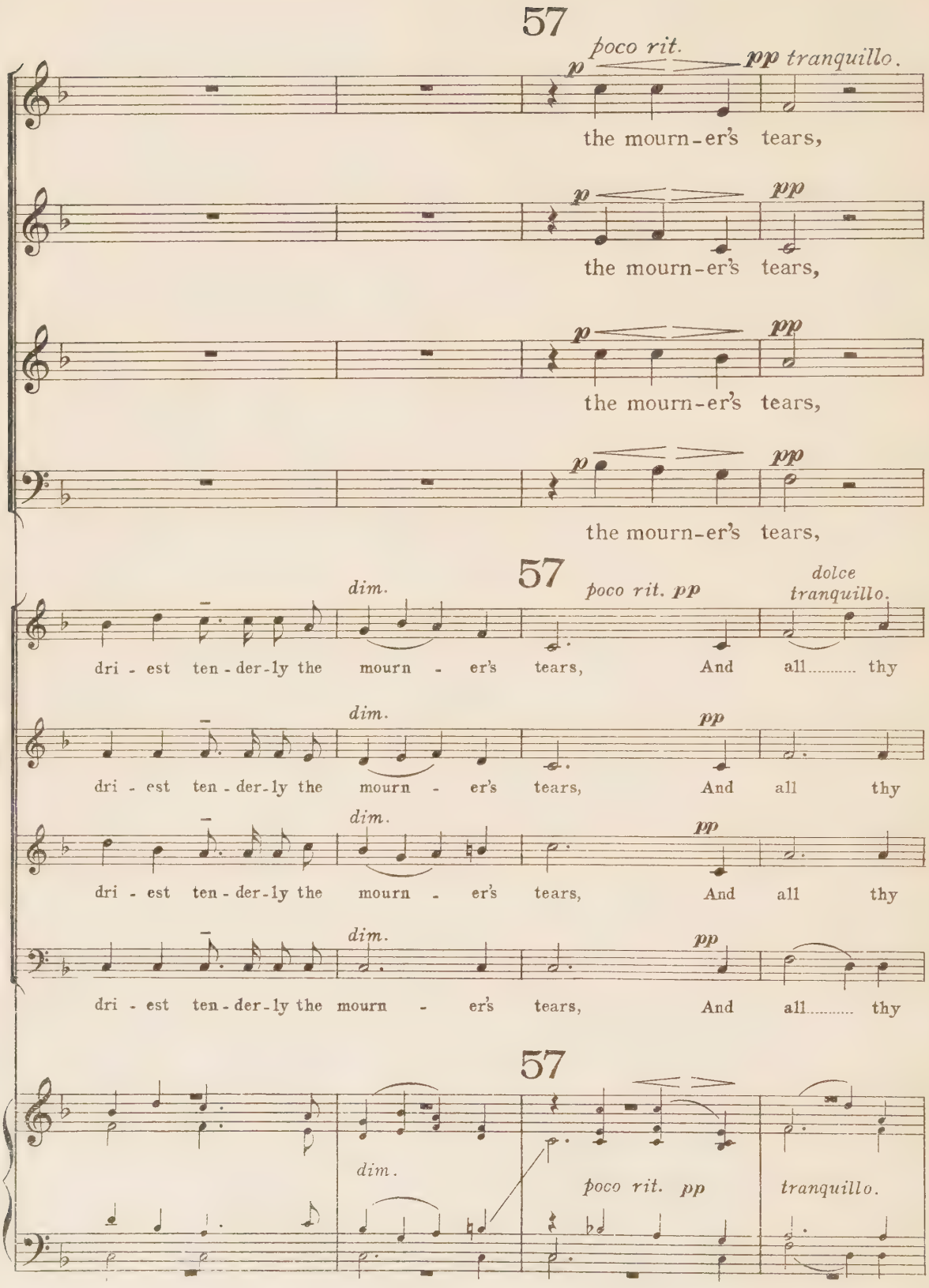

-crease, As the gold - - en,
peace. As the gold - en days in -
peace. As the gold - en days in -
peace. As the gold - - en,
pp
dim.
gold - - en days in - crease,
crease, Crown your vic - to - ries with peace.
crease, Crown your vic - to - ries with peace.
gold - - en days in - crease,
8
ppp

52
f accel
ff
rall.
As the gold - en days in - crease,
f
ff
rall.
As the gold - en days in - crease,
f
ff
rall.
As the gold - en, gold - en days in -
f
ff
rall.
As the gold - en days in - crease,
52
8
VOICES.
ff
rall.
Lento
dim.
p
Crown your vic - to-ries with peace.
Crown your vic - to-ries with peace.
-crease, Crown your vic - to-ries with peace.
Crown your vic - to-ries with peace.
Lento.
dim.
pp
pp

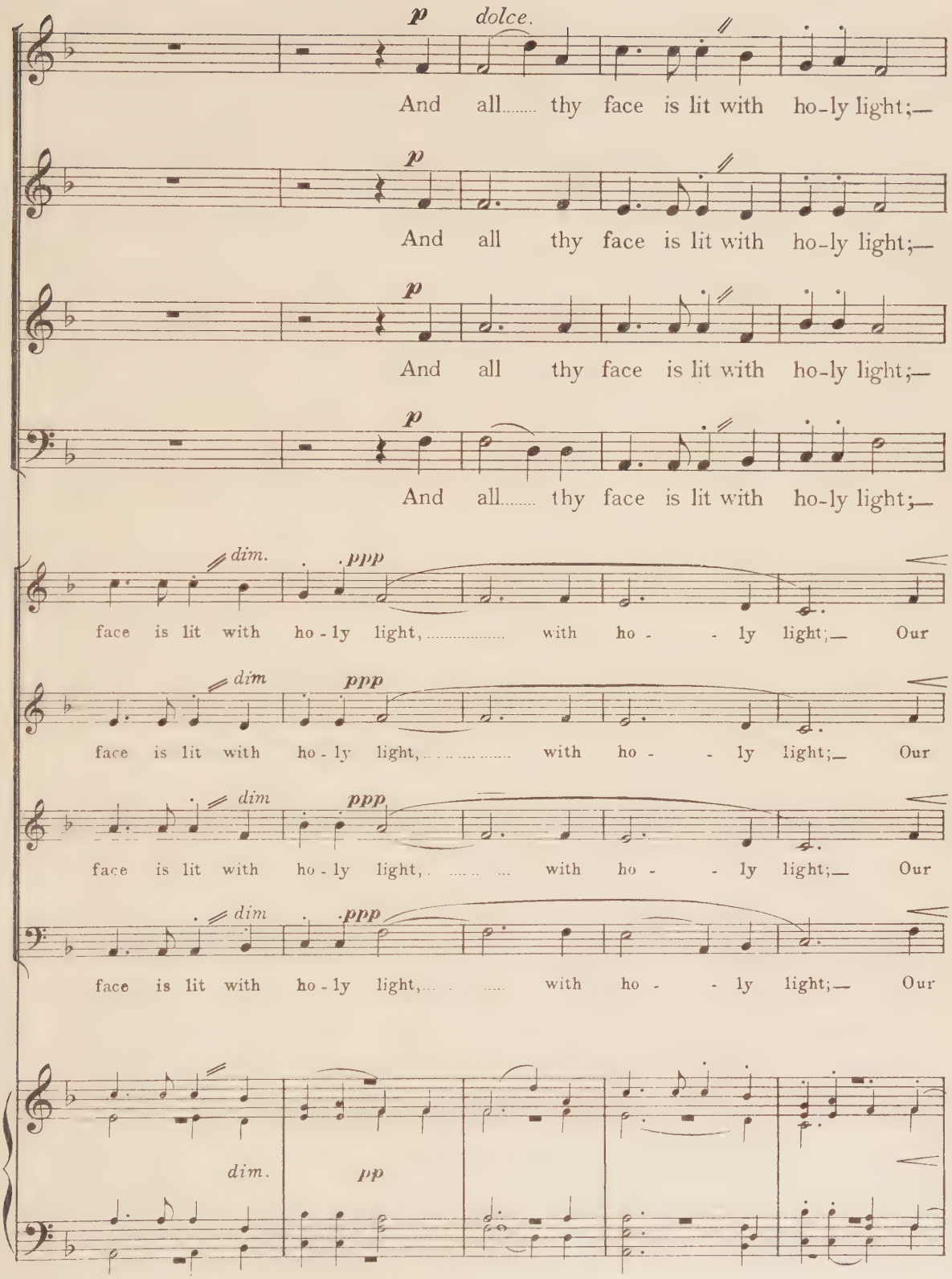
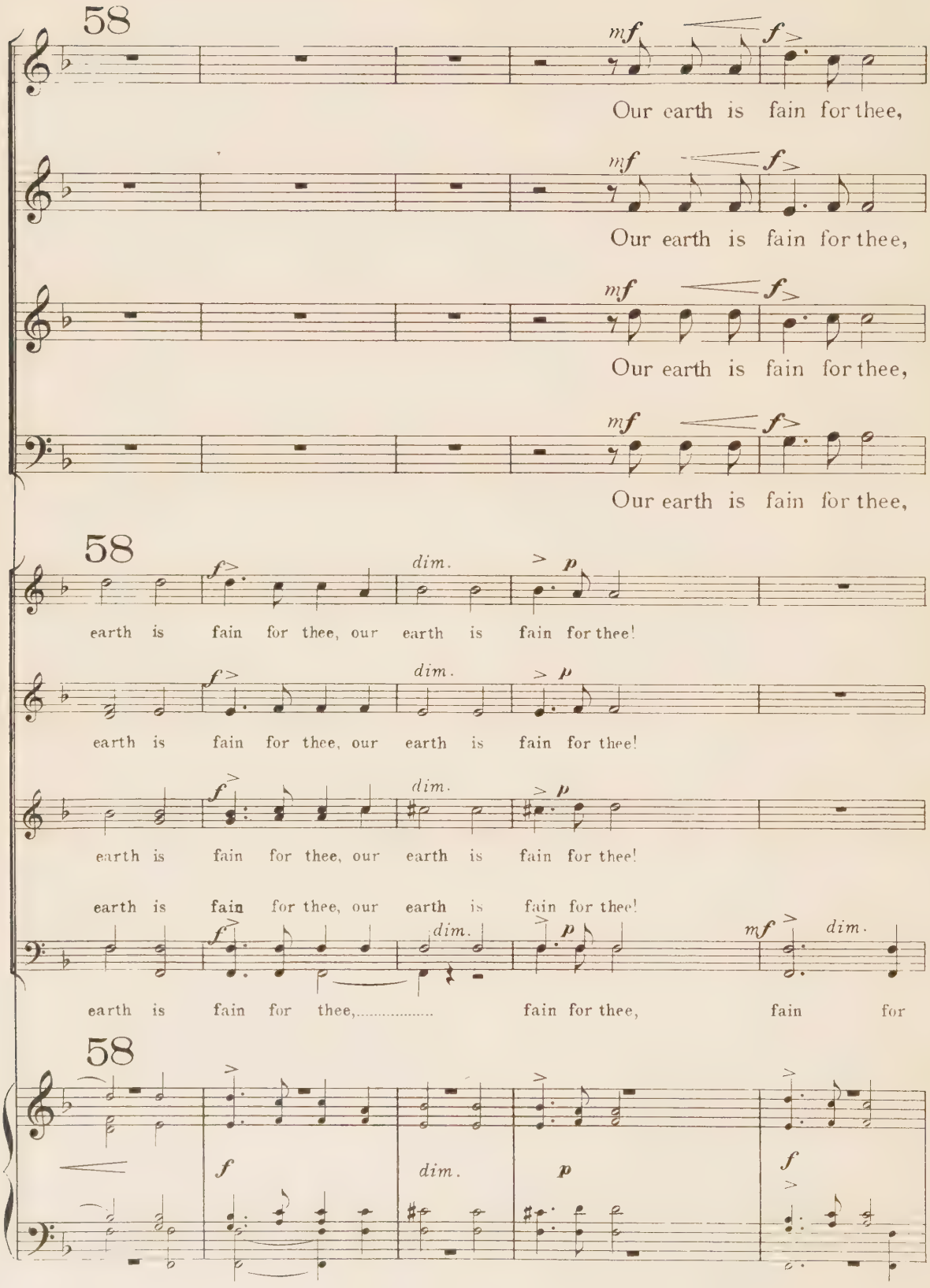
V.

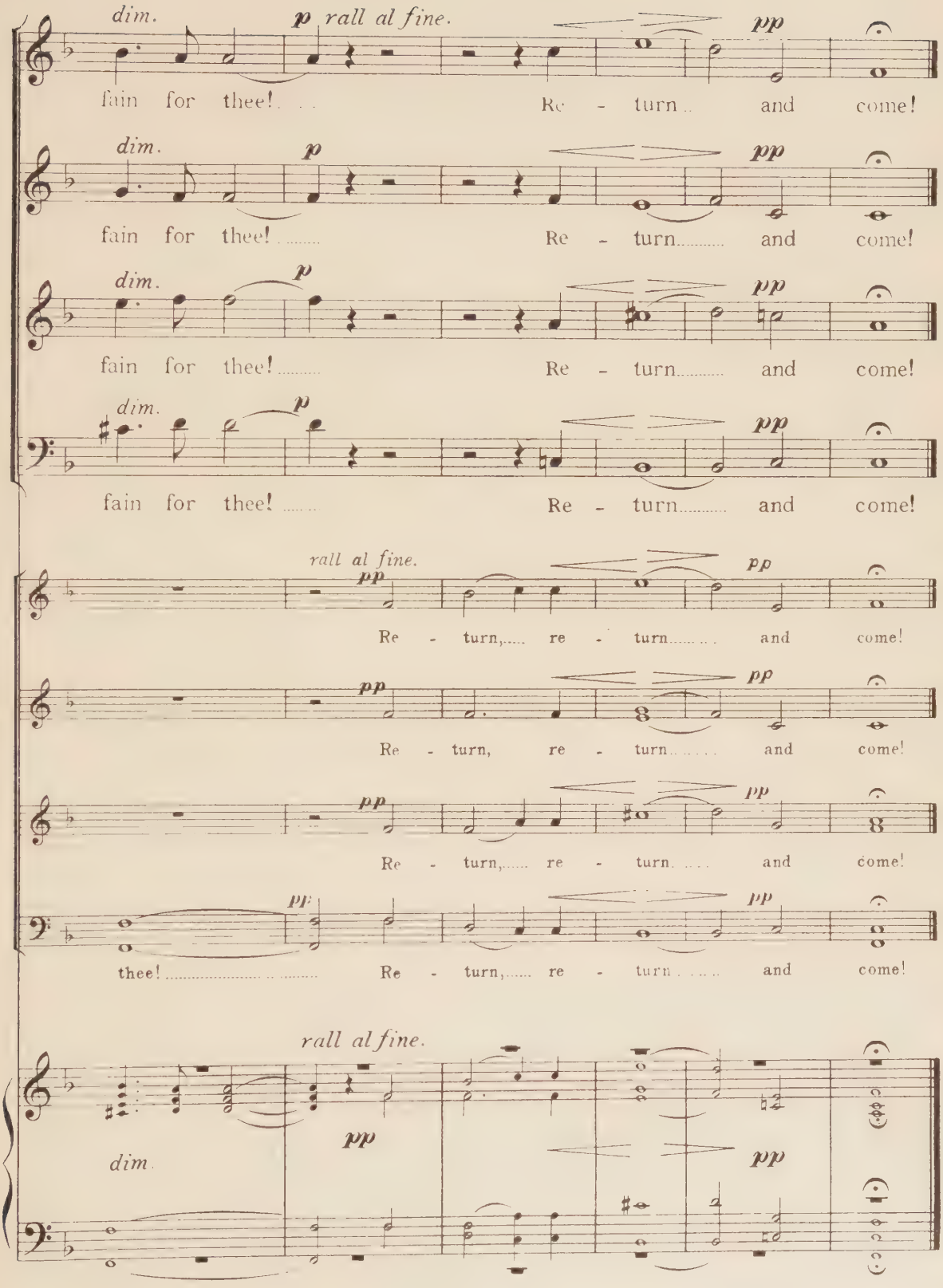
PEACE, GENTLE PEACE.

Quartet and Chorus *(unaccompanied.)*


Andante ♩ = 72.
dolce.
ten.
Piano.
pp
dim.
rit.
53 Chorus.
p legato e cantabile.
S
A
T
B
Peace, gen - tle Peace, who, smil - ing through thy
Peace, gen - tle Peace, who, smil - ing through thy
Peace, gen - tle Peace, who, smil - ing, smil - - ing
Peace, gen - tle Peace, who, smil - - ing
53 a tempo.
VOICES.
poco allargando.
tears, Re - turn - est, when the sounds of war are
tears, Re - turn - est, when the sounds of war are
through thy tears, Re - turn - est, when the sounds of war are
through thy tears, Re - turn - est, when the sounds of war are
poco allargando

54
dumb, Re - plen - ish - ing the bruis'd and brok - en earth, And
dumb, Re - plen - ish - ing the bruis'd and brok - en earth, And
dumb, Re - plen - ish - ing the bruis'd and brok - en earth, And
dumb, Re - plen - - - - ish - ing the earth, And
54
Poco più lento.
dolce
lift - - ing mo - ther - ly her shat - ter'd form, When com - est thou,
lift - - ing mo - ther - ly her shat - ter'd form, When com - est thou,
lift - - ing mo - ther - ly her shat - ter'd form, When com - est thou,
lift - - ing mo - ther - ly her shat - ter'd form, When com - est thou,
Poco più lento.
cresc.
cresc.
when com - est thou? Our breth - ren long for thee
when com - est thou? Our breth - ren long for thee
when com - est thou? Our breth - ren long for thee
when com - est thou? Our breth - ren long for thee
rall.
rall.

55
Soli. Soprano.
Poco animato.
mf
Thou dost re - store the
Contralto.
mf
Thou dost re - store the dark - en'd
Tenor.
mf
Thou dost re - store the dark - en'd,
Bass.
mf
Thou dost re - store the
55
a tempo.
Poco animato.
espress.
pp
dim.
sf
dim.
p a tempo.
f
dark - en'd light of home, Give back the fa - ther to his
dim.
p
f
light of home, Give back the fa - ther to his
dim.
dim.
p
f
dark - - en'd light of home, Give back the fa - ther to his
dim.
p
f
dark - en'd light of home, Give back the fa - ther to his
a tempo.
pp
p
f

Soli.
56
pp
chil - dren's arms,
pp
chil - dren's arms,
pp
chil - dren's arms,
pp
chil - dren's arms,
Chorus.
56
pp
cresc.
Give back the fa - ther, give back the fa - ther to his
pp
cresc.
Give back the fa - ther, give back the fa - ther to his
pp
cresc.
Give back the fa - ther, give back the fa - ther to his
pp
cresc.
Give back the fa - ther, give back the fa - ther to his
56
pp
cresc.

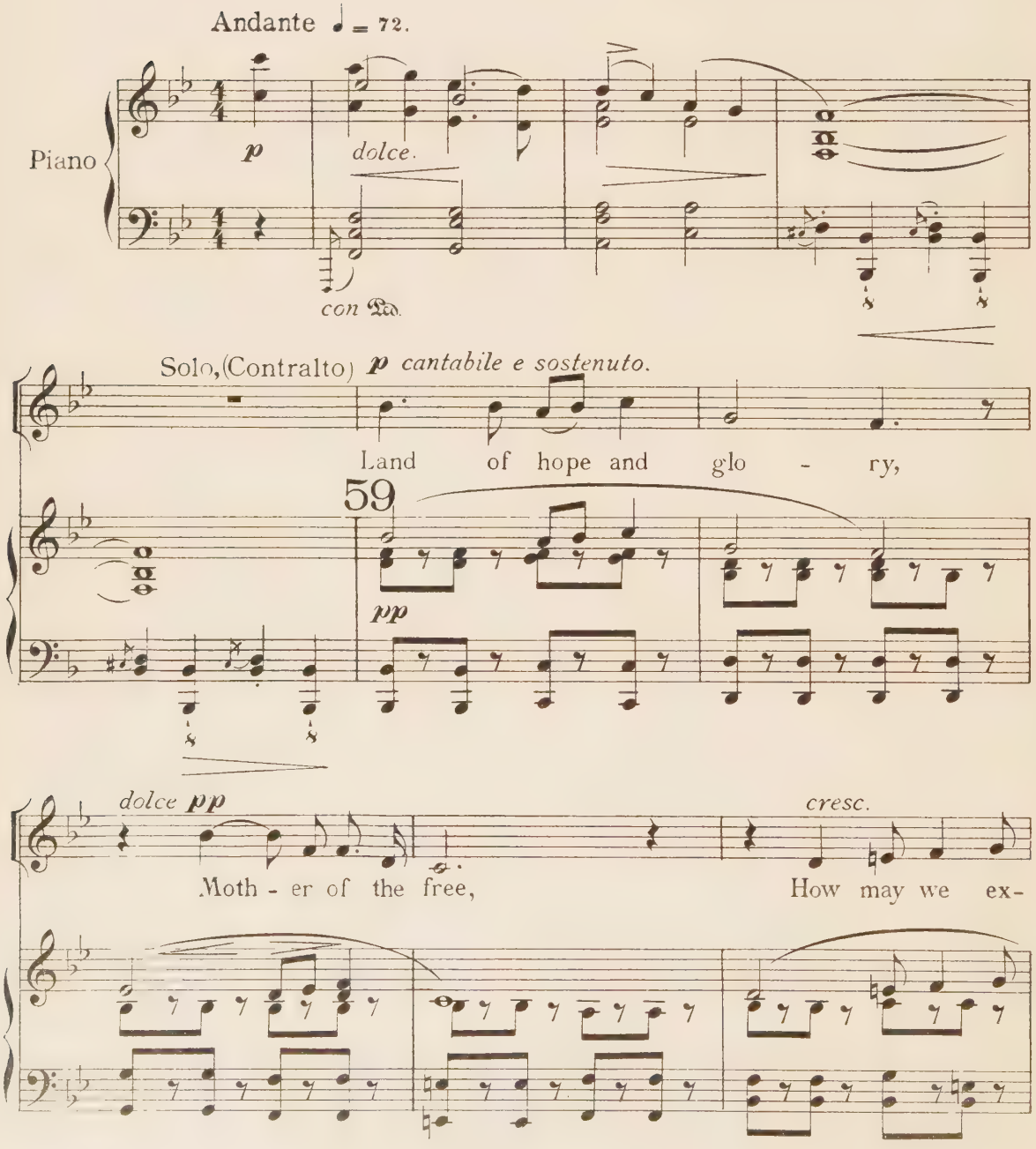
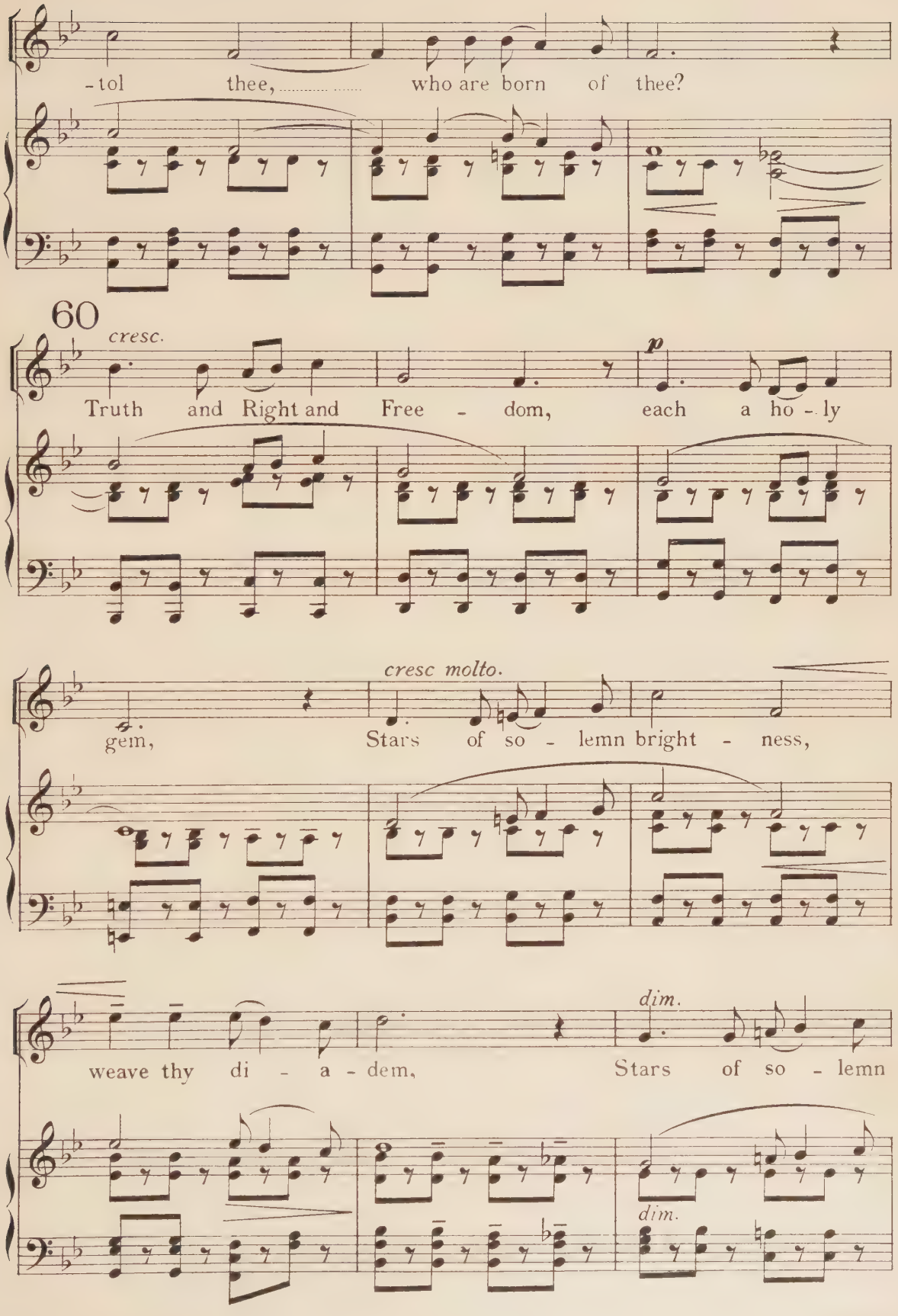

p
dim.
Thou dri - est ten-der-ly the mourn - er's tears,
p
dim.
Thou dri - est ten-der-ly the mourn - er's tears,
p
dim.
Thou dri - est ten-der-ly the mourn - er's tears,
chil - dren's arms,
p
Thou
chil - dren's arms,
p
Thou
pp
chil - dren's arms,
p
Thou
pp
chil - dren's arms,
p
Thou
pp
dim.
p

57
poco rit.
p
pp tranquillo.
the mourn-er's tears,
p
pp
the mourn-er's tears,
p
pp
the mourn-er's tears,
p
pp
the mourn-er's tears,
57
dim.
poco rit. pp
dolce
tranquillo.
dri - est ten - der-ly the mourn - er's tears, And all..... thy
dim.
pp
dri - est ten - der-ly the mourn - er's tears, And all thy
dim.
pp
dri - est ten - der-ly the mourn - er's tears, And all thy
dim.
pp
dri - est ten - der-ly the mourn - er's tears, And all..... thy
57
dim.
poco rit. pp
tranquillo.

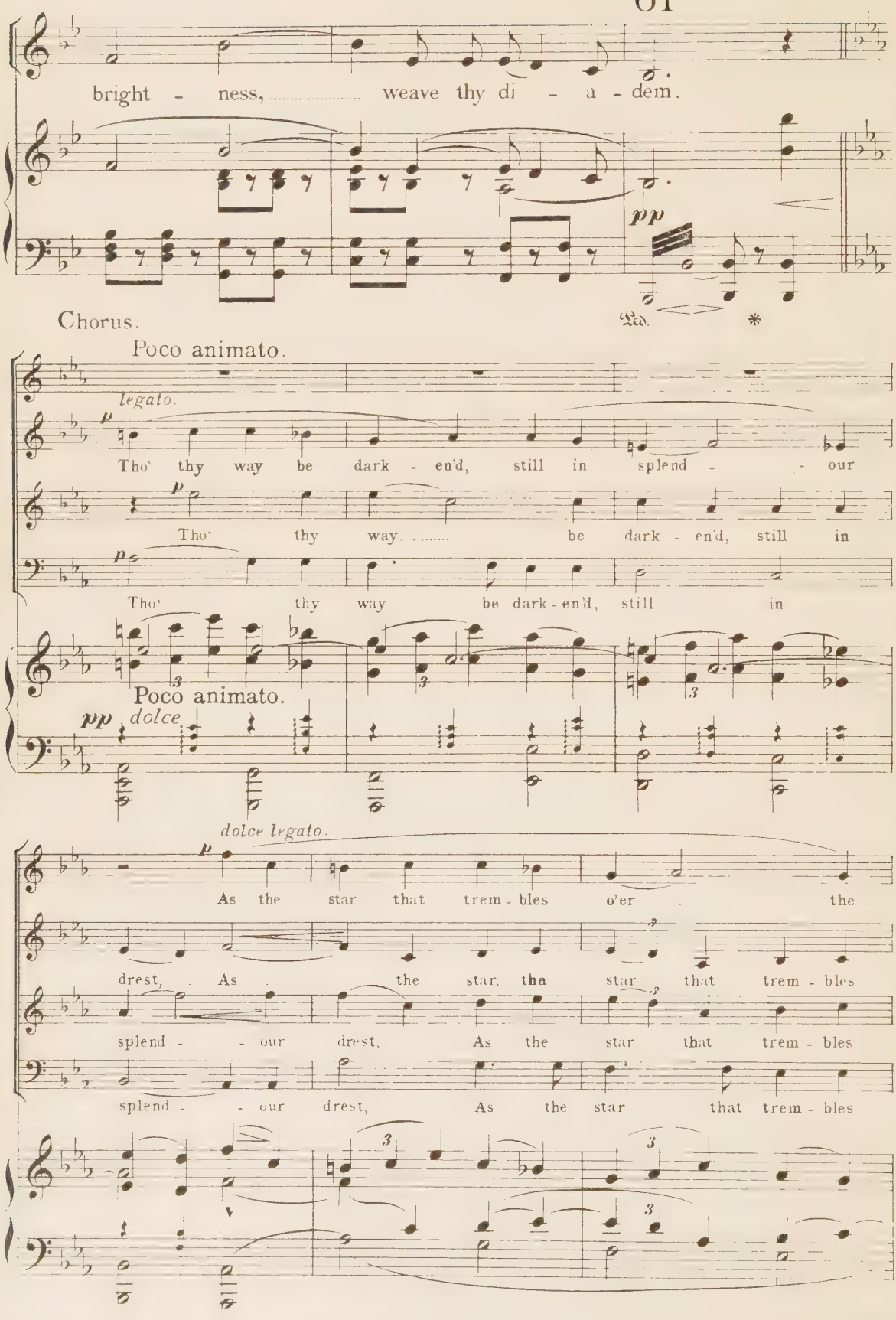

p
dolce.
And all..... thy face is lit with ho-ly light;—
p
And all thy face is lit with ho-ly light;—
p
And all thy face is lit with ho-ly light;—
p
And all..... thy face is lit with ho-ly light;—
dim.
ppp
face is lit with ho-ly light, ... with ho - - ly light;— Our
dim
ppp
face is lit with ho-ly light, ... with ho - - ly light;— Our
dim
ppp
face is lit with ho-ly light, ... with ho - - ly light;— Our
dim.
ppp
face is lit with ho-ly light, ... with ho - - ly light;— Our
dim.
pp

58
mf
f
Our earth is fain for thee,
Our earth is fain for thee,
Our earth is fain for thee,
Our earth is fain for thee,
58
f
dim.
p
earth is fain for thee, our earth is fain for thee!
earth is fain for thee, our earth is fain for thee!
earth is fain for thee, our earth is fain for thee!
earth is fain for thee, our earth is fain for thee!
earth is fain for thee,..... fain for thee, fain for
58
f
dim.
p


dim.
p rall al fine.
pp
fain for thee! Re - turn and come!
dim.
p
pp
fain for thee! Re - turn and come!
dim.
p
pp
fain for thee! Re - turn and come!
dim.
p
pp
fain for thee! Re - turn and come!
rall al fine.
pp
pp
Re - turn, re - turn and come!
pp
pp
Re - turn, re - turn and come!
pp
pp
Re - turn, re - turn and come!
pp
pp
thee! Re - turn, re - turn and come!
rall al fine.
pp
dim.
pp

VI.

LAND OF HOPE AND GLORY.

Finale. (*Contralto Solo and Tutti*)

-tol thee, who are born of thee?
60
cresc.
Truth and Right and Free - dom, each a ho - ly
p
cresc molto.
gem, Stars of so - lemn bright - ness,
dim.
weave thy di - a - dem, Stars of so - lemn
dim.

61

bright - ness, ... weave thy di - a - dem.
pp
Ped. *
Chorus.
Poco animato.
S
A
T
B
legato.
p
Tho' thy way be dark - en'd, still in splend - - our
Tho' thy way ..... be dark - en'd, still in
Tho' thy way be dark - en'd, still in
Poco animato.
pp
dolce
dolce legato.
As the star that trem - bles o'er the
drest, As the star, tha star that trem - bles
splend - - our drest, As the star that trem - bles
splend - - our drest, As the star that trem - bles

62

Solo,(Soprano) *ff* Molto maestoso

Thron'd amid the bil - lows, thron'd in -

li - - quid West.

o'er the li - quid West.

o'er the li - quid West.

o'er the li - quid West

62 Molto maestoso ♩=92

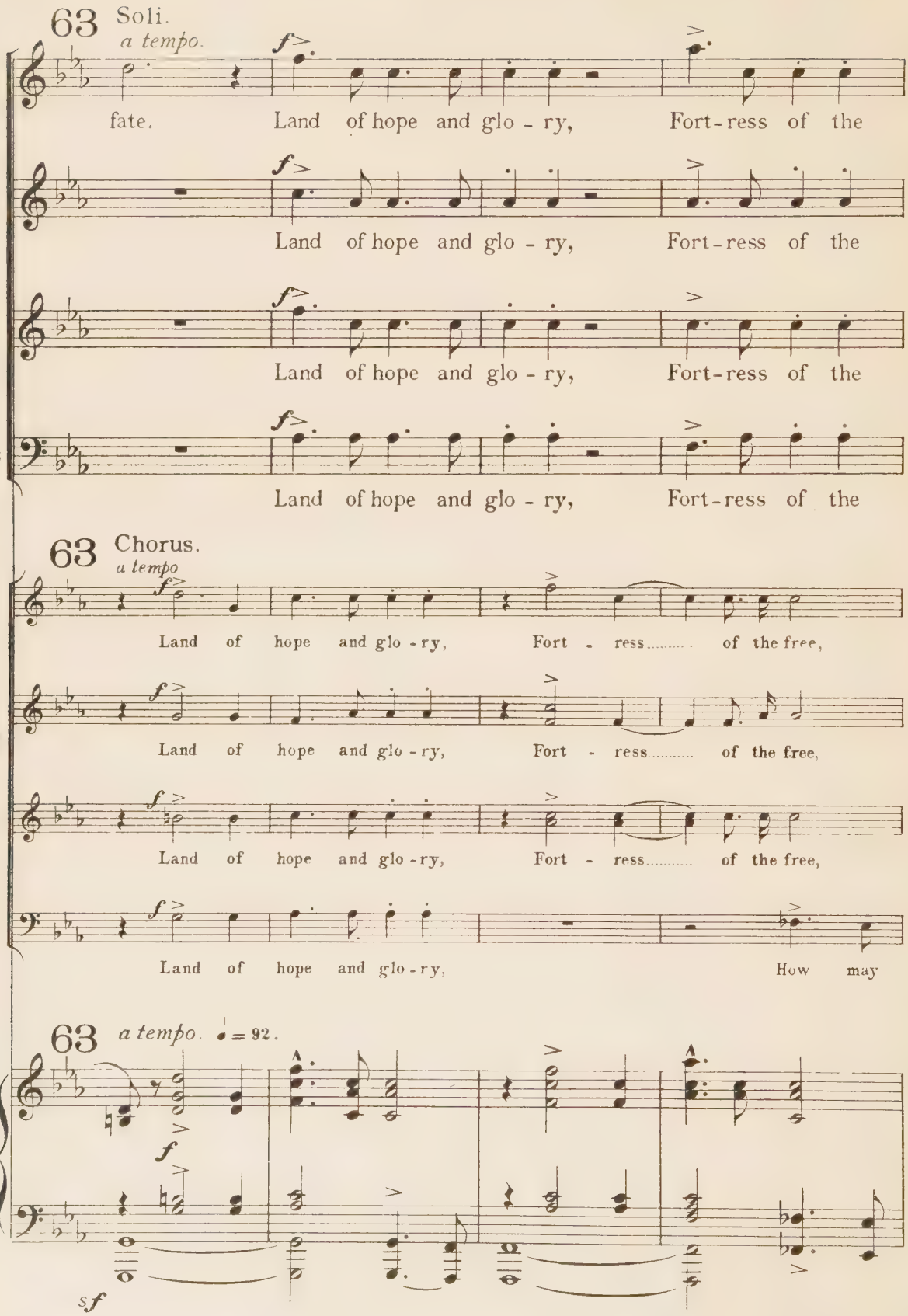
p

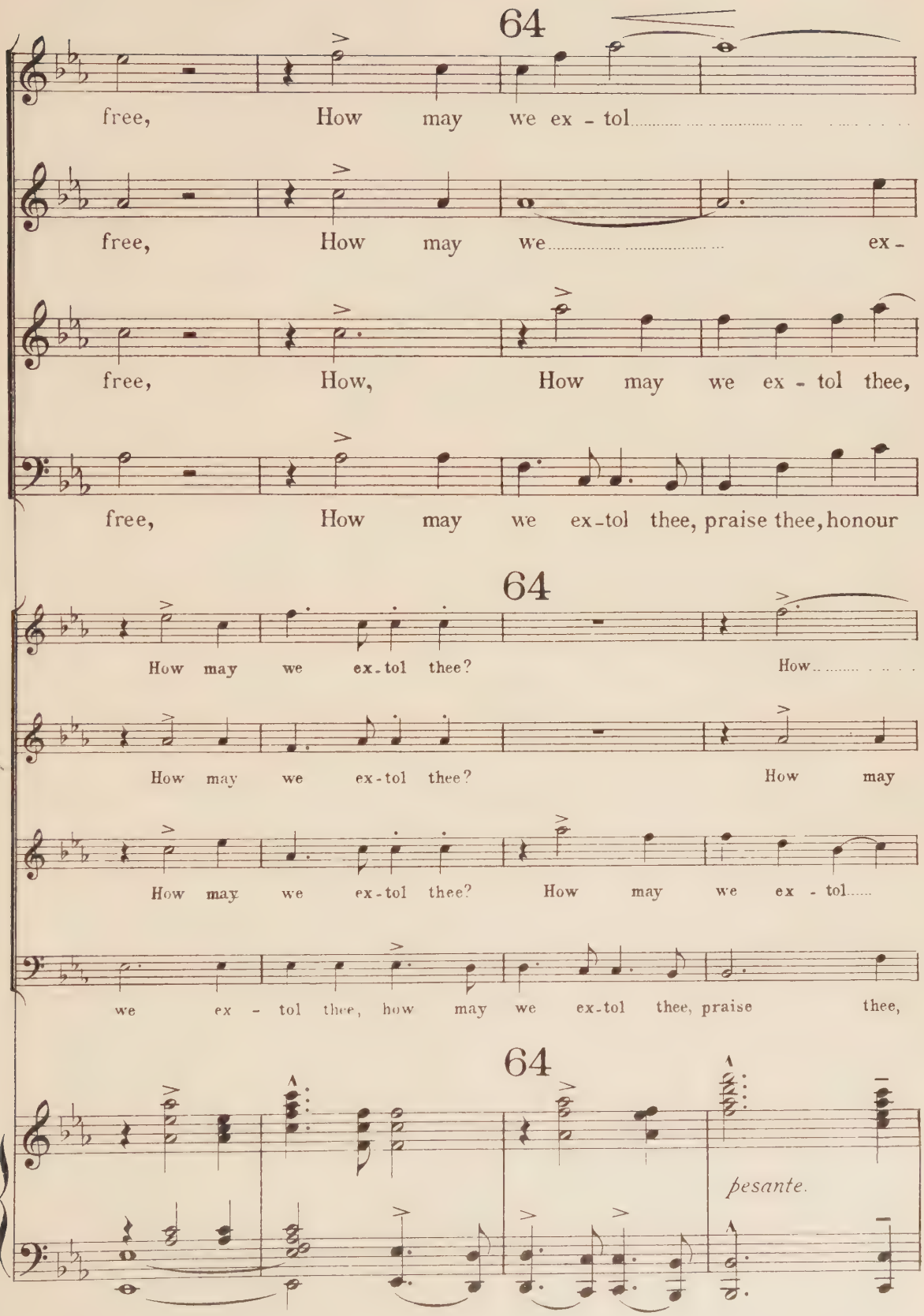
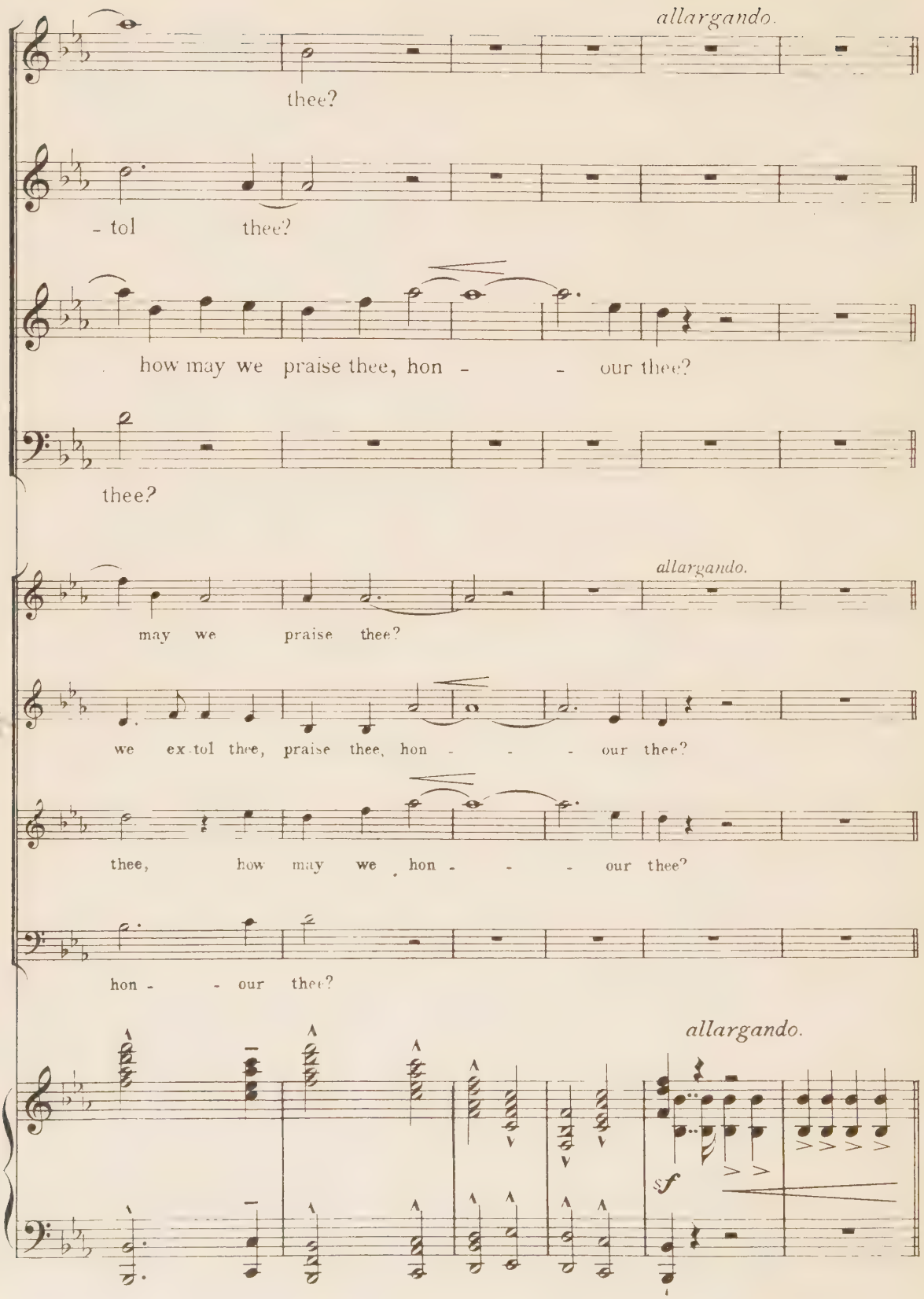
molto allarg. *rit.*

- vi - o-late, Thou hast reign'd vic - to - rious, thou hast smil'd at

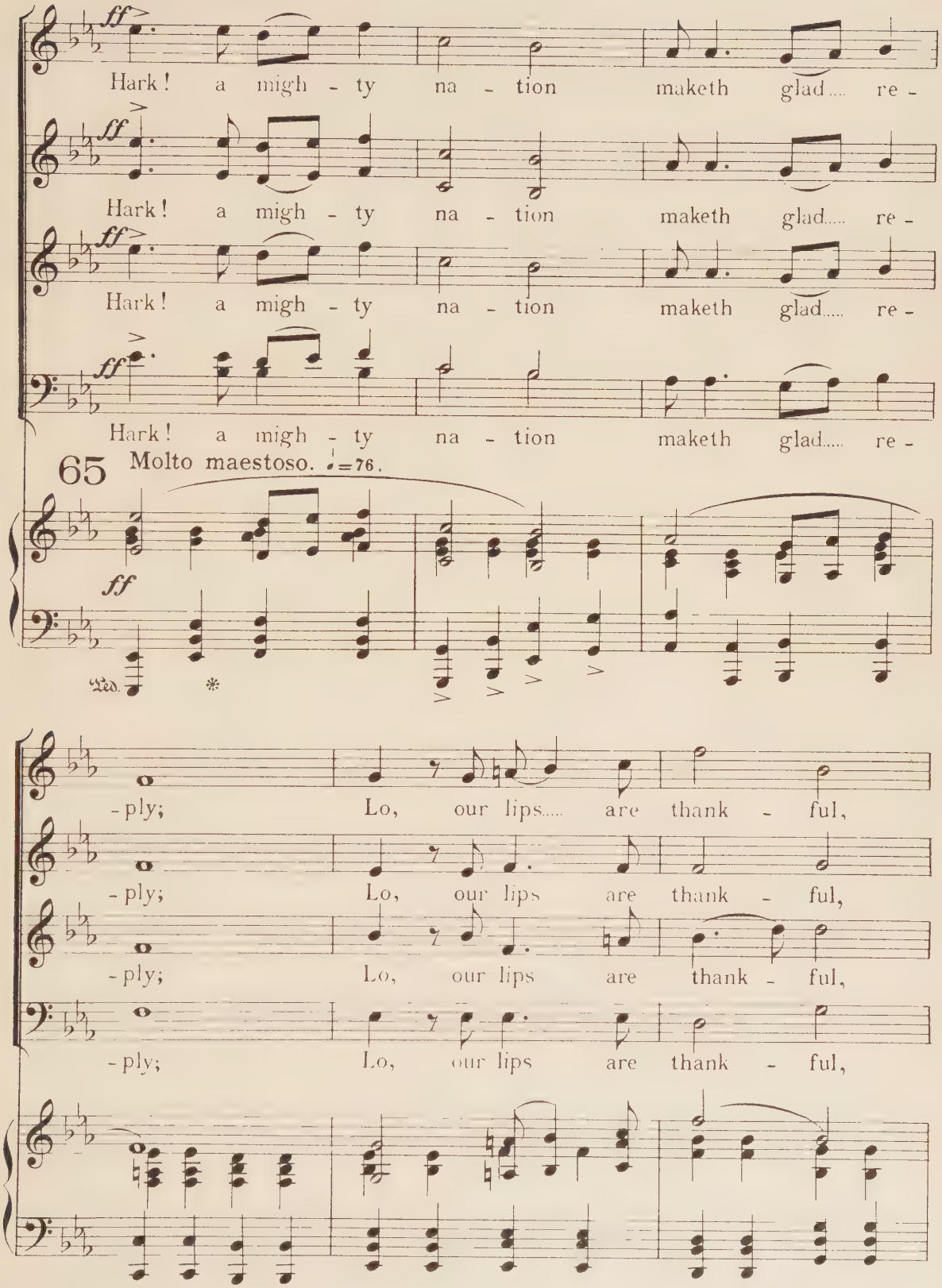
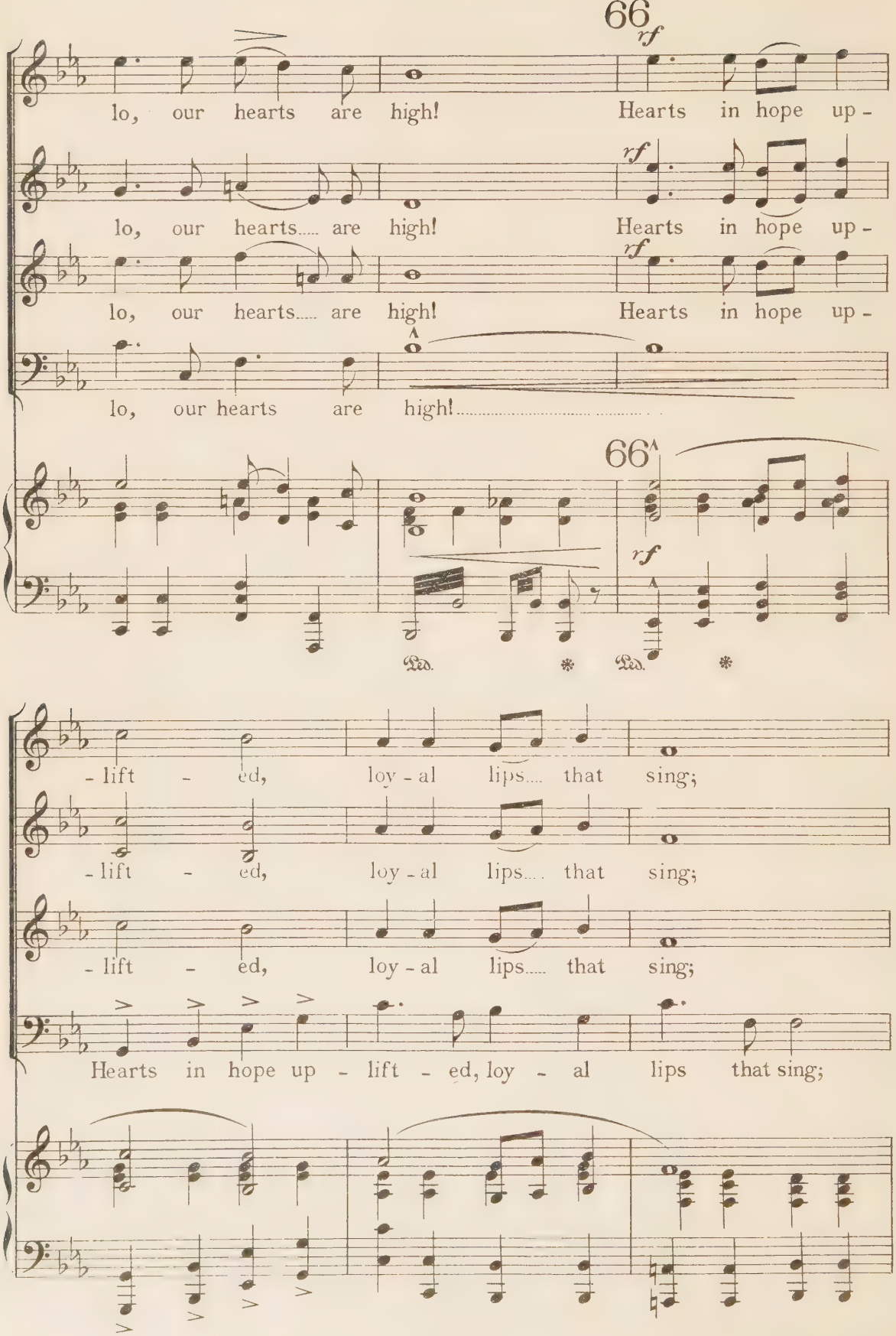
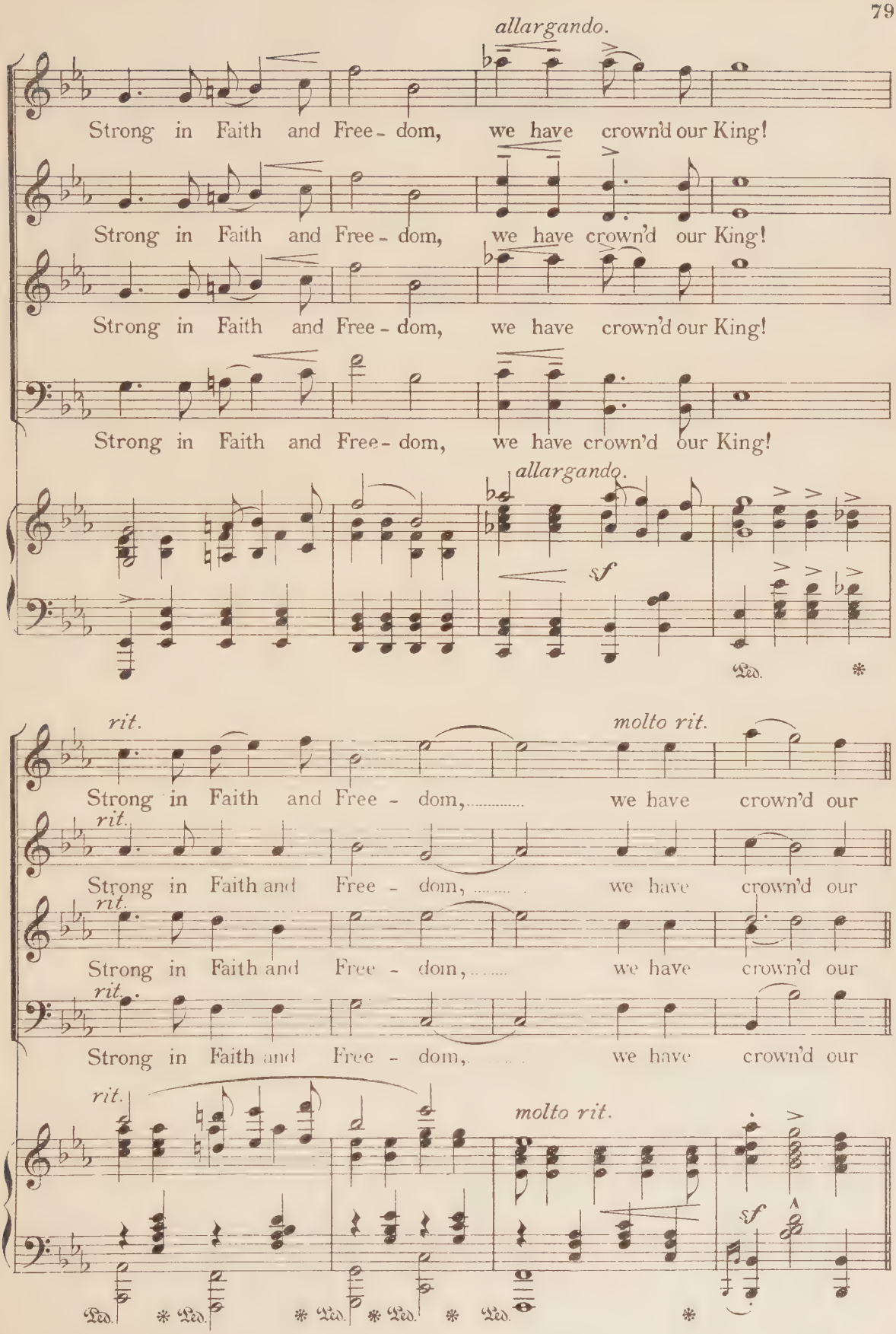
rit.

colla parte. *p*

sf

63 Soli.
a tempo.
S
fate. Land of hope and glo - ry, Fort-ress of the
C
Land of hope and glo - ry, Fort-ress of the
T
Land of hope and glo - ry, Fort-ress of the
B
Land of hope and glo - ry, Fort-ress of the
63 Chorus.
a tempo
S
Land of hope and glo - ry, Fort - ress..... of the free,
A
Land of hope and glo - ry, Fort - ress..... of the free,
T
Land of hope and glo - ry, Fort - ress..... of the free,
B
Land of hope and glo - ry, How may
63 a tempo. ♩ = 92.


64
free, How may we ex - tol
free, How may we ex -
free, How, How may we ex - tol thee,
free, How may we ex-tol thee, praise thee, honour
64
How may we ex-tol thee? How
How may we ex-tol thee? How may
How may we ex-tol thee? How may we ex - tol
we ex - tol thee, how may we ex-tol thee, praise thee,
64
pesante.

allargando.
thee?
- tol thee?
how may we praise thee, hon - - our thee?
thee?
allargando.
may we praise thee?
we ex-tol thee, praise thee, hon - - - our thee?
thee, how may we hon - - - our thee?
hon - - our thee?
allargando.
sf

65 SOLI AND CHORUS.
Molto maestoso.


ff
Hark! a migh - ty na - tion maketh glad..... re -
Hark! a migh - ty na - tion maketh glad..... re -
Hark! a migh - ty na - tion maketh glad..... re -
Hark! a migh - ty na - tion maketh glad..... re -
65
Molto maestoso. ♩=76.
ff
Ped. *
-ply; Lo, our lips..... are thank - ful,
-ply; Lo, our lips are thank - ful,
-ply; Lo, our lips are thank - ful,
-ply; Lo, our lips are thank - ful,

66
rf
lo, our hearts are high! Hearts in hope up -
lo, our hearts..... are high! Hearts in hope up -
lo, our hearts..... are high! Hearts in hope up -
lo, our hearts are high!.....
66
rf
Ped. * Ped. *
- lift - ed, loy - al lips..... that sing;
- lift - ed, loy - al lips..... that sing;
- lift - ed, loy - al lips..... that sing;
Hearts in hope up - lift - ed, loy - al lips that sing;

allargando.
Strong in Faith and Free - dom, we have crown'd our King!
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allargando.
sf
Ped. *
rit.
molto rit.
Strong in Faith and Free - dom, we have crown'd our
rit.
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rit.
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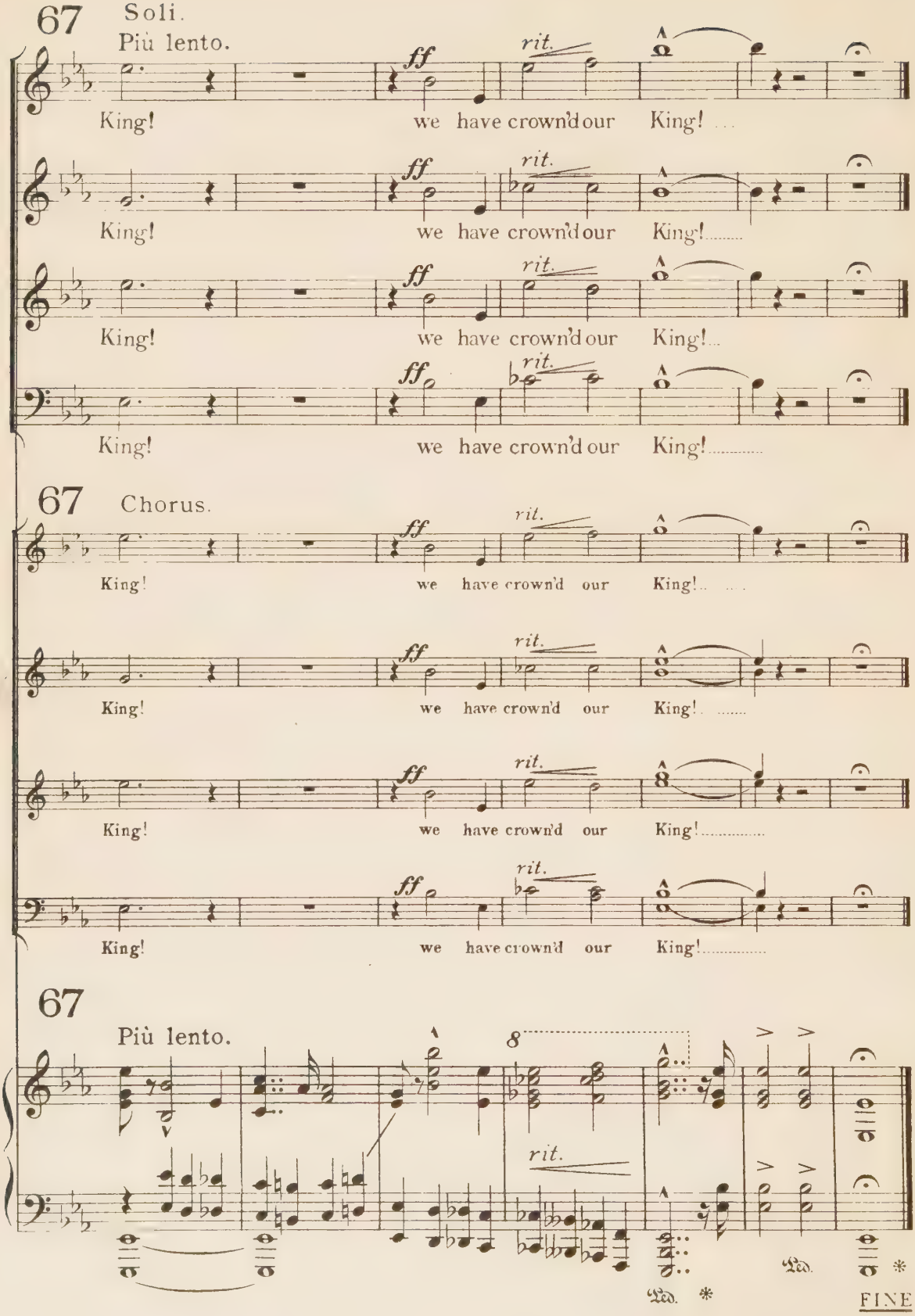
rit.
molto rit.
sf
Ped. * Ped. * Ped. * Ped. * Ped. *


67
Soli.
Più lento.
ff
rit.
King! we have crown'd our King!
King! we have crown'd our King!
King! we have crown'd our King!
King! we have crown'd our King!
67
Chorus.
King! we have crown'd our King!
King! we have crown'd our King!
King! we have crown'd our King!
King! we have crown'd our King!
67
Più lento.
8
rit.
Ped. *
Ped. *
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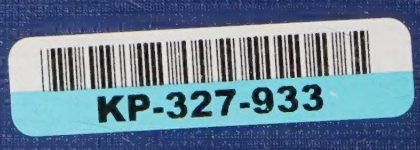
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